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R.A.F. Smashes German Bases In Four Countries

Attacks on Berlin, Other German Centres; Terrible Damage Done

London, Sept. 26.

THROUGHOUT Tuesday night, British bombers continued their systematic attacks on enemy invasion ports, including Delfzijl (Holland), Ostend (Belgium), Cherbourg and Le Havre (France), states the Air Ministry in a communique issued last night. Many fires and explosions resulted.

In addition to attacks on Berlin, other forces attacked an electric power station at Finkenheerd, near Frankfurt-on-Oder (east of Berlin), railway communications near Magdeburg, goods yards at Hamm and Brussels and gun emplacements at Cap Gris Nez.

An aircraft of the Coastal Command attacked a convoy of enemy vessels off Terschelling (one of the West Frisian Islands). One of the vessels was hit by three bombs and was left sinking. Two British aircraft were lost in night operations.

Describing the raids on enemy power stations, aerodromes and sea ports, the news service of the Ministry says the power station at Finkenheerd, which is more than 300 miles from Germany's western frontier, was located at 10.30 p.m. on Tuesday and twice attacked with high-explosive bombs which were seen to burst in and around the target.

Aerodromes Bombed

Hanover aerodrome was bombed from a high level, but at The Hague, to the north of Emden, a British raider came down to 2,000 feet and dropped his bombs on a hangar and a runway. A parachute flare revealed the wreckage of a hangar destroyed in a previous attack.

Other strong forces of bombers operating at short range kept up their nightly hammering at the enemy's invasion ports while these long-distance raids were being carried out, from Hamburg to Le Havre.

Docks at Calais were subjected to a series of attacks lasting nearly seven hours. Barges lying alongside and quays were hit, fires and explosions were seen in many parts of the harbour and search-light batteries on quays were machine-gunned and extinguished. Before 3 a.m. yesterday, more than 30 fires were burning within the docks, two being seen far out to sea.

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British Sub. Sinks Italian Destroyer

Air Attacks Renewed on Enemy Positions; Navy Blasts Sidi Barrani

Rome, Sept. 26.

An official communique admits that a destroyer has been sunk by a British submarine in the Ionian Sea. The major part of the crew has been saved, it adds.

The British have renewed their air bombardment of Tobruk (naval base in Libya) and dropped bombs on Juru Sololo (Kenya) and Adigalla and Galabat (on the Sudan-Abyssinian frontier).—Reuter.

Sidi Barrani Attacked

Alexandria, Sept. 26.

British naval units again successfully attacked targets in the Sidi Barrani area in the early hours yesterday morning, says a naval communique.

"A large fire, accompanied by a series of explosions, was observed and it was seen still burning two hours later."—Reuter.

Ribbentrop Present

Berlin, Sept. 26.

Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop, German Foreign Minister, was present at yesterday's conversation between Herr Hitler and Senor Serrano Suner, Spanish Minister of the Interior, reports the German news agency.—Reuter.

Supply Ships Sunk

London, Sept. 26.

"British submarines continue to search out and take their toll of enemy shipping," states an Admiralty communique reporting successful actions against enemy supply vessels in convoy.

"Full information of their successes cannot be given without endangering their security, but it can now be stated that His Majesty's submarine H 49 (Lieutenant M. A. Langley, R.N.) attacked a convoy of eight supply vessels with torpedoes, two of which found their mark.

"His Majesty's submarine Tuna (Lt.-Commander M.K. Cavanagh-Mainwaring, R.N.) reports the destruction of a large supply vessel escorted by two enemy destroyers."—Reuter.

Italian Planes Fly Over Malta

Malta, Sept. 26.

A small number of Italian fighters flew over the island at great height yesterday and were engaged by anti-aircraft fire. One was shot down, and two others badly damaged.—Reuter.

Huge Nazi Air Losses Confirmed

The crippling losses suffered by the German air force in raids on Great Britain, and especially since the intensified attacks upon London, were confirmed by unimpeachable sources yesterday. Between August 8, the day the mass daylight raids began, and September 16, the Nazis lost 1,799 planes for certain, and probably lost 622 more, the destruction of which has not been officially confirmed. Estimates put the loss of Nazi airmen over Britain in this period at about 6,000 men, killed or captured. In the same period, the British lost 638 planes, 292 airmen escaping. These figures include planes shot down over Germany or lost during patrols over the North Sea and other areas. It has been established that, up to August 6, the British had shot down 3,021 Nazi planes, many of which were bombers. It is estimated that up to that date the Nazis had lost about 9,000 airmen in combat with the British.

Nazis Fail to Hit London's Central Area

Many Bombs Dropped In Suburbs as A.A. Fire Foils New Attack Idea

London, Sept. 26.

German planes sought a new way of reaching the heart of London last night and early this morning but they were foiled by an anti-aircraft barrage which was even more intense than usual and which worked closely with big concentrations of searchlights.

Replying on a fan-like formation, the Nazi planes flew higher and faster than ever before as they darted about the outskirts of the city seeking for an opportunity to break through the defence and penetrate the centre of the capital.

Despite all their efforts there was far less activity in central London than for some nights past, but bombs still could be heard falling on the outskirts from time to time. Except for the drone of raiders feeling across London, followed by gun fire, nothing was heard over the central areas.

Cargoes Jettisoned

Unable to reach their main targets, the German planes jettisoned their heavy cargoes of bombs as they ran the gauntlet of ground defences and British fighters on the coast. Early this morning a church in a south London suburb and a convent in a south-western area were bombed. One raider was believed to have been shot down in the south-west area.

After a direct hit, the drone of the engine suddenly ceased and a series of violent explosions were heard, after which there was silence.

The Nazi raiders came over later than usual on Wednesday evening and tried to take advantage of a mist and clouds. But as the night wore on, the stars came out and twinkled brilliantly from a clear sky, thus making it almost impossible for the Germans to resort to their favourite stunt of "cloud-hopping" to avoid anti-aircraft fire.

At the beginning of the raid, practically only incendiaries were rained down on the suburbs, although a few high explosive bombs also were reported to have been released.

30 Districts Hit

Thirty suburban districts circling London were bombed, but not a single bomb was reported in central London, which again appeared to be the main objective of the German attacks. Bombs were dropped on eight towns in south-east England and also Wales, north-west England and the Midlands. The north-west coastal district experienced its 121st raid of the war.

The raiders darted swiftly above clouds in the London area in the earlier part of the raid and dropped a comparatively few bombs. Most of the raiders seemed to have approached the city from the north-west where incessant anti-aircraft barrages were heard.

A lone raider dumped a heavy load of explosive and incendiary bombs on an outlying district of a north-west English town. Several shops were damaged in a north-western London suburb when a bomb crashed on the main street, but there were no casualties. Bombs were also dropped in a district in north London, while a town in the south-west London area also was heavily bombed.

The air offensive "against our country was continued by enemy bombers on many parts of England and Wales though once again London and its suburbs and surrounding districts bore the brunt of the attack," the Air Minisry announced.

Fires were started in several parts of the London area, but prompt action by A.R.P. workers prevented considerable damage, the announcement added.

Few Casualties

Direct hits and blasts caused by high explosive bombs damaged houses and buildings in many parts of the London area. There were casualties, including fatalities, the communique continued.

Bombs were dropped on "London and the country alike." In south-east England the bombs caused damage but only a few casualties, the communique said.

Bombs were also dropped on several north-west towns and started fires which were quickly placed under control. Single raiders attacked other parts of England and Wales and bombs were dropped on widely scattered areas but the damage was slight and the casualties few, the Air Ministry asserted.

The Selfridge department store and the Associated Press building were damaged in recent raids, it was revealed today.

Little damage was visible in Selfridge's from the street beyond broken windows and a few small scars in the awnings where anti-aircraft shell fragments fell.

The top of the building, however, and a penthouse, which looks as though it might be the top of an elevator shaft, were smashed by what apparently was a small bomb.—United Press.

26 Planes Destroyed

London, Sept. 26.

Latest reports of yesterday's air battles over Britain indicate that 26 German planes were destroyed, 22 by fighters, four by ground fire.—Reuter.

King George Reviews de Gaulle Forces

The King recently reviewed the Free French forces under the command of General de Gaulle, who is seen in the picture walking beside His Majesty. It will be noted that the Free Frenchmen are clad in British army battle dress, with the exception of the beret. The clothing of these Frenchmen in British uniforms may account for the misunderstanding which has apparently arisen in Vichy, that British troops, and not French, attempted to land in West Africa.

Police, Passengers Hurt As Strikers Attack Trams

French Police Forced to Open Fire When Situation Becomes Grave; Striker Wounded

SEVERAL persons were injured in the course of the day yesterday when strikers of the Compagnie Francaise de Tramways et d'Eclairage Electriques de Shanghai, the French concern that operates trams and buses in the Concession, attacked the non-striking personnel who maintained a skeleton service along Avenue Joffre and Avenue Dubail. The attackers, however, fared ill, for in every case the French Police managed to make arrests, with the result that more than men are now under detention at the French police stations.

One Chinese police constable was hurt by a striker wielding an iron bar, while two passengers of a tram, travelling along Avenue Joffre, were badly burned when a striker threw quicklime at a moforman, but missed him and caused injuries to the passengers' eyes. Both men were taken to a hospital. One striker was also wounded when a French police patrol was forced to fire to disperse a crowd of thirty strikers who had attacked a tram in Avenue Dubail.

Early Attack

The first incident took place at about 6 a.m. A route No. 10 tram was attacked by several strikers at the intersection of Avenue Dubail and Rue Lafayette. The strikers boarded the tram and started to attack a conductor when the policemen, detailed for protection to every vehicle, dispersed them and arrested the ring-leader.

Fifteen minutes later another tram in Avenue Dubail was stopped by a crowd of thirty strikers, the majority of whom were armed with iron rods and stones. The strikers forced the tram to stop near Rue Pere Froc and commenced to assault the personnel and the policemen in the vehicle, as well as to smash all the windows. The three policemen in the tram could not overcome the attackers, but a police patrol, called out to the scene, finally arrested the strikers and took them to Poste Central in Rue Stanislas Chevalier. Before arresting the strikers, a veritable battle took place in which a Chinese constable sustained a slight wound when he was hit with an iron rod by one of the strikers.

Confronted with a determined batch of discontented employees, the French police patrol was forced to fire into the air. One of the shots hit a striker and he had to be taken to a hospital with wound in the hip. The rest of the crowd was arrested.

Quicklime Thrown

The third incident took place in Avenue Joffre, near the corner of Rue Vouillemont, at 8.45 a.m. when three or four strikers attempted to stop the tram. Failing to do so, the miscreants started throwing quicklime at the motorman. The latter escaped unscathed, but two Chinese passengers were burned in the face. Both were taken for treatment to a hospital, while a striker was arrested.

There were no more incidents during the remainder of the day and the skeleton service was continued without a hitch.

An official of the company stated yesterday affernoon that the number of trams running in the Concession had been increased by seven, making a total of thirty trams in operation.

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Franco Said Going To Rome

"Popolo Di Roma" Hints That Spain Will Enter War on Axis Side

Berlin, Sept. 26.

Circles in close touch with the Wilhelmstrasse reported on good authority yesterday that General Francisco Franco of Spain will go to Rome shortly in order to confer with Premier Benito Mussolini regarding Spain's eventual participation in the European war.

The same sources also reported that Spain's war role was fully discussed in Berlin yesterday afternoon when the visiting Spanish Minister of Home Affairs, General Serrano Suner, was received by Chancellor Adolf Hitler in the presence of Colonel Joachim von Ribbentrop.—Domei.

Participation Hinted

Rome, Sept. 26.

Little doubt was left in the minds of observers here that Spanish participation in the war is imminent when it was openly hinted by the powerful "Popolo di Roma" yesterday that General Francisco Franco will throw in his lot with the Axis Powers.

The "Popolo di Roma" significantly declared, "Italy with happiness welcomes Spain's truly historic decision and her solidarity with those warring against Spain's historic enemy.

"Spain is closing the circle against England and is regaining her active role in the Mediterranean and Africa." Well-informed Fascist quarters meanwhile confirmed that Spain's entry into the war was discussed at Berlin by General Serrand Suner, Spanish Minister of Home Affairs, and the German Foreign Minister, Colonel Joachim von Ribbentrop.—Domei.

"Not Much Help Seen"

Zurich, Sept. 26.

"Rome is well aware that Spain is unable to give the Axis Powers practical military assistance owing to the after-effects of the civil war," writes the Rome correspondent of the newspaper "Bund."

"Italians," he adds, "realize that Spain, who is obliged to import cereals from America, is dependent upon British goodwill, which is expressed in the recent Anglo-Spanish agreement, whereby Britain undertook not to hinder, and even to guarantee financially the continuation of these imports."—Reuter.

London, Bristol In Thick of It

Wonderful Record of Canadian Airmen in Defence of England

London, Sept. 26.

London and Bristol received a severe pounding when German aircraft, after two days of comparative inactivity, resumed heavy attacks on Britain yesterday, unloading tons of high-explosive and incendiary bombs at random.

The 124th raid of the war on the British capital sent Londoners scurrying to shelters as searchlights stabbed the sky and anti-aircraft guns opened an ear-splitting barrage.

The indiscriminate showering of bombs on London caused damage to many famous structures, including the building of the Associated Press of America, one of the world famous churches designed by Sir Christopher Wren, the Indian Students' Hostel, and the well-known department store of Selfridge's, whose great premises in the West End have, in recent years, become one of the "sights of London."

At Bristol some damage was caused and a number of people were killed and injured when bombs fell near the coast and in the outskirts of the city.

Little Damage

There was also some minor German activity in south-east England, but reports indicate little damage and few casualties.

The Germans were engaged by British fighters at all points, and it is now officially claimed that 23 German aircraft were destroyed, three of them by anti-aircraft guns. One British fighter previously reported lost was later found to be safe, which makes the British losses for the day four fighter aircraft, the pilots of three of which managed to save themselves.

The majority of the German losses were suffered over London, where a very high proportion of the raiders was destroyed.

A wonderful record in the defence of London has been achieved by the fighter pilots of the original "All Canadian" squadron of the R.A.F. formed in England, says Reuters' air correspondent.

It is revealed that in the past fortnight they figured in six fights. Fifty-five German aircraft is their total "bag." This represents the loss of some 140 men to the German air force. The Canadians lost only two men.

On September 18 the "All Canadians" helped to give a German bomber force the biggest beating of any which has tried to reach the capital in daylight. Together with Spitfire and other Hurricane pilots, they met the enemy—flying in two large formations at 17,000 feet—well out over the Thames Estuary.

Queueing-up

Leading the attack, they dived on the first group of about 20 bombers, which at the start were in close formation, split them up and shot down nine Dornier 17's and five Junkers 88's.

On September 7, when the air battle for factories, docks and railways of the Greater London area began with a mass attack by daylight, the Canadians chased a large formation from east London to the coast and shot down four Dornier 215 bombers, six Messerschmitt 110 fighter-bombers, and two single-seater fighters.

On the last occasion a mass attack was made, namely on September 15, both the "All Canadians" and pilots of the first Royal Canadian air force squadron to reach England did their share in bringing down the record number of 185 enemy aircraft claimed by the R.A.F. They fought side by side in several recent battles.

The people of a Kentish market town have started a fighter fund in appreciation of the valour of a fighter pilot, who saved a neighbouring village by refusing to jump from his shattered Hurricane.

They had seen the Hurricane coming down with flames darting from it. No sooner had it landed south of the town, states an Air Ministry bulletin, than the petrol tanks exploded. The pilot had just time to scramble to safety with slight head injuries.

Before being hit by a Messerschmitt cannon shell during a dog fight, he had shot down the Messerschmitt 109 in flames.

The same afternoon another fighter pilot, a squadron leader, who had destroyed one and probably two Messerschmitt 109's, landed near the same town—by parachute—with an injured foot and soaked in petrol. While the wound was being dressed, the police put the parachute on show and began collecting for the town's Spitfire fund.—Reuter.

Haiphong Bombed and Entered by Japanese

Fifteeen Casualties When Native Quarter Hit By Four Bombs; 2,000 Troops With Tanks File Through Streets to Prepared Billets

Hanoi, Sept. 26.

JAPANESE troops announced their "peaceful" landing at Haiphong by first bombing the native quarter and causing fifteen casualties early this morning.

Japanese planes flew over the stragetic port and dropped four bombs on the native quarter, which is near the railway station. The fifteen casualties were all natives, it was officially announced.

Almost 2,000 Japanese troops, including a column of tanks, landed at Haiphong and filed through the streets en route to a specially prepared garrison. The troops landed early this afternoon.

The Japanese troops were landed in Haiphong under agreement between the Japanese and French military authorities at Haiphong.

The agreement signed last Sunday, it was revealed, provides for the landing of Japanese troops and the Japanese occupation of three airfields in Indo-China.

The agreement, however, does not affect the northern border situation. Whether the Japanese troops now in Langson will advance toward Hanoi depends on the efforts of Major-General Issaku Nishihara, head of the Japanese military mission here. Gen. Nishihara is making efforts to persuade the Japanese South China Army not to violate the terms of the agreement reached here last Sunday.

Hostilities Terminated

Vichy, Sept. 26.

Franco-Japanese hostilities on the northern border of French Indo-China have been terminated, the French Government announced here last night.

The French Foreign Ministry announced that Gen. Issaku Nishihara, head of the Japanese military mission to Hanoi, had succeeded in negotiating the termination of border attacks by the militant Japanese south China army.

Earlier the French government announced that fighting had continued throughout the day yesterday on the Dongdang front

French reports said that officials both in Tokyo and Vichy were unable to understand the reason for the border fighting. They believed it was the result of local friction and did not constitute general military operations, according to the French press.

French reports said that numerous barges loaded with Japanese troops had appeared off Haiphong yesterday. French officials were said to have sent them a warning that the French would resist any further violation of the Hanoi agreement signed last Sunday.—United Press.

Langson Entered

Langson, Sept. 26.

Japanese forces entered Langson, key border city 150 kilometres north-east of Hanoi yesterday evening, after Lieut.-Col. Yoshiro Oka met Major-General Menoullat, Commandant of the Indo-Chinese forces in the Langson district, at 3.20 o'clock yesterday afternoon.—Domei.

U.S. Places Scrap Iron Embargo on Japan

New York, Sept. 26.

President Roosevelt today declared an embargo on the shipment of scrap iron to Japan.—Reuter.

Hongkong Recalls Shipping

No Clearance Papers to Be Issued to Ports in Indo-China

Hongkong, Sept. 26.

The port authorities today refused to grant clearance papers to British ships wishing to sail to Indo-China and also recalled the vessels en route to ports in the French colony.

One British steamer, which left Hongkong last Monday, was among the ships recalled. This vessel received recall orders while it was a few miles off Haiphong.

Passengers reported that while approaching Haiphong they observed several Japanese warships which laid a smoke screen, while Japanese planes flew overhead and investigated their ship.

A party of newspapermen was aboard the ship which was recalled.—United Press.

Airway Services Suspended

Hongkong, Sept. 26.

The Imperial Airways announce the suspension of all their services from Hongkong to French Indo-China until further notice owing to the Indo-China situation.

This follows their announcement yesterday of the suspension of all their services other than airmail, which has now presumably been suspended.—Reuter.

Britain Protests Over Nazis in Finland

Finnish Government Permit German Troops Free Passage

London, Sept. 26.

The British Minister at Helsinki, it is officially announced, has been instructed to protest strongly to the Finnish Government against their action in agreeing to allow German troops to pass through Finland on their way to northern Norway.

This action, it is stated here, constitutes a clear breach of neutrality and international law.

Reports reaching London from Finland confirm that it has been announced officially in Helsinki that during the next few days German troops going on leave from Norway will pass through Finland under joint control by German and Finnish authorities, says Reuters' Diplomatic Correspondent.—Reuter.

U.S.$25,000,000 Loan to China Announced in Washington

U.S.A. to Purchase U.S. $30,000,000 Worth of Tungsten from China; Further Action Seen

Washington, Sept. 26.

THE United States Government will loan China an additional U.S.$25,000,000 to assist in meeting China's foreign exchange needs, an official announcement disclosed here last night.

The announcement was made by Mr. Jesse Jones, chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, who said the new loan to China would be made through the semi-official Export-Import Bank.

Mr. Jones announced at the same time that the United States had decided to purchase U.S.$30,000,000 worth of tungsten from China. The tungsten will be purchased from the National Resources Commission of China for storage in the United States to meet American defence needs, he said.

Mr. Jones said the new $25,000,000 loan by the United States would be made directly to the Chinese Government with the guarantee of the Central Bank of China. The consequent Chinese debt to the United States will be liquidated through the sale of Chinese tungsten to America, Mr. Jones said.—United Press.

More Action Expected

New York, Sept. 26.

Washington officials, citing the announcement by Mr. Jesse Jones, Federal Loan Administrator, of a new U.S.$25,000,000 loan to Chungking predicted that further definite United States action towards the Far East will be announced within 48 hours, the "New York Times" learned on good authority from the capital.

The paper reported that Washington officials declined to reveal the nature of the action.—Domei.

Reply to Indo-China Entry

Washington, Sept. 26.

The extension of the United States Government loan to China is clearly regarded in diplomatic quarters in Washington as the Administration's first step in replying to the Japanese action in French Indo-China.

Although it is improbable that officials will admit this connection, it is recalled that Mr. Jesse Jones, Chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, when he met Mr. T. V. Soong on September 4, denied that a loan was under consideration. This leads to the belief that Mr. Soong's efforts were unavailing until recently but that he suddenly has met with favourable consideration due to the developments in French Indo-China.

Observers point out that China will be unable to derive much material benefit from the proposed loan owing to the effective blockading of her routes of foreign supplies. This may, however be altered in the event that the Burma Road is reopened. It is regarded as lending weight to reports that the United States is urging Britain not to consent to the further closing of the road.

While some quarters are expressing the belief that an understanding has already been reached with London, the press suggests that a conference between President Roosevelt and Mr. Cordell Hull will most likely result in important diplomatic moves in the Far East within the next 24 hours, but some quarters saw indications that the Administration was moving cautiously due to the confused situation in Indo-China, coupled with the unwillingness to play Hitler's game by becoming involved in major complications in the Orient.—Domei.

Little Tokyo Comment

Tokyo, Sept. 26.

The vernacular press today prominently featured the Washington despatches regarding the new American loan to China. The newspapers, however, avoided editorial comment in the earlier editions, merely printing the Washington reports.

The "Asahi Shimbun," however, indicated the Japanese opinion on the loan by using headlines which said, "Retaliatory Anti-Japanese Action As Well As Chiang Kai-shek Assistance Scheme."

The Foreign Office declined to make any official comment on the loan to China pending the receipt of official reports from Washington.—United Press.

Allied Forces Withdrawn from Dakar to Save French Blood

Ministry of Information Explains Not Intention of H. M. Government to Fight Frenchmen Loyal to Vichy

London, Sept. 26.

ALLIED forces are now being withdrawn from the Dakar region in order to save the lives of Frenchmen. The circumstances which have led to their withdrawal are explained in an announcement released by the Ministry of Information.

It had never been the intention of the British Government, it states, to enter into serious warlike operations against those Frenchmen who felt it their duty to obey the commands of the Vichy Government.

"General Charles de Gaulle had good reason to believe from information which reached him that a large proportion of the French population of Senegal supported the free French movement and would welcome his arrival, and that a similar situation might be established there to that which exists in French Equatorial Africa.

"He therefore proposed to His Majesty's Government that he should proceed there with some troops at his disposal, with the goodwill and support of Great Britain.

French Ships Turned Back

"His Majesty's Government were all the more ready to afford General de Gaulle this support as information had reached them that German influence was spreading in Dakar.

"Meanwhile, whilst the expeditior was on its passage, the Vichy Government despatched three cruisers from Toulon which passed through the Straits of Gibraltar and eventually arrived at Dakar.

"It is no part of His Majesty's Government to interfere with the movements of French men-of-war so long as they are not destined for any ports under German control. For this reason, no hindrance was put in the way of the vessels in question passing through the Straits of Gibraltar. When having done so they pursued a southerly course and were permitted to proceed. They, therefore, reached Dakar without interference.

"When, later, they put to sea again, steaming south, it was thought they might be intending to interfere with the situation existing in French Equatorial Africa, which had already declared for General de Gaulle.

"Ships of the Royal Navy intercepted their passage and insisted upon their reversing their course, which they eventually did, two of them returning to Dakar and the third, which was suffering from engine trouble, being escorted by one of His Majesty's ships towards Casablanca.

Emissaries Fired On

"On the morning of September 23, emissaries of General de Gaulle, flying the Tricolour and a white flag in order to show their French nationality and peaceful intentions, attempted to land at Dakar and were met with a hostile reception, were fired upon and seriously wounded.

"Warships in port opened fire on one of General de Gaulle's warships and subsequently on His Majesty's ships which were standing by in order to render General de Gaulle support and assistance if needed.

"Before returning the French fire, the admiral commanding made the following signal in plain language: 'Will be compelled to return fire unless fire ceases.' As the fire from shore batteries did not cease the fire was returned and both His Majesty's ships and shore batteries incurred casualties. Fire from the French battleship, Richelieu, was joined to that of the shore batteries and consequently her fire had to be returned.

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Indo-China Said Preparing for More Pressure from Japanese

New York Journal Says U.S. Has Given Assurances Of All Aid Short of War; Troops Said on Way

Washington, Sept. 26.

Colonel S. Jacomy, an official Indo-China representative, has obtained United States assurances that Indo-China would be permitted to buy arms here if Indo-China becomes an independent French entity, reliable sources said today.

The United States, they understood, indicated that it would be unwilling to export arms to Indo-China if there were any danger of Vichy confiscating them or of their falling into German hands. Col. Jacomy was said to be en route to Indo-China.

No specific agreement was reached, they added, but Col. Jacomy stated that Indo-China would be prepared to spend US$12,000,000 in cash on planes, anti-aircraft and machine guns.

U.S. Assurances

New York, Sept. 26.

The "New York Daily News" reported today that French Indo-China is preparing to resist further Japanese pressure in Indo-China beyond the terms of the Franco-Japanese agreement signed in Hanoi last Sunday.

A representative of the Indo-China Government, Col. S. Jacomy, was said to be en route from Washington to Hanoi by plane with assurances that the American Government favours extending all aid short of war to Indo-China, provided that it acts independently and effectively in resisting Japanese pressure.

The paper also reported that the French liner, Ile de France, was en route to Indo-China carrying a "Free French" Senegalese division from Africa.

The paper said that while in Washington, Col. Jacomy sought to obtain 150 planes, guns and munitions for Indo-China. He also suggested that American planes be sent to Indo-China from the Philippines, the report said.—United Press.

Germans to Walk Across Channel?

Thousands of Soldiers Said Trained to Skate Over Water!

Berlin, Sept. 26.

Specially selected, trained and equipped "super soldiers" will lead the German invasion of Great Britain when it occurs, according to semi-official sources here.

The selected men are said to be distributed among the regular units of the "invasion army" along the coasts of the North Sea, the English Channel and the Atlantic seaboard. They were sent to their present posts several weeks before September 20 following intensive street training at the Doeberitz drill grounds to the north-west of Berlin. The training began immediately after the conclusion of the German campaign in France.

This elite corps was selected from all branches of the armed forces on the basis of a questionnaire distributed by the officers to those soldiers who were considered especially intelligent.

Sixty-three questions in the paper covered in particular athletic prowess, knowledge of foreign languages, technical skill and acquaintance with English geography and English affairs.

According to the same source, tens of thousand of infantrymen and marines of the army of invasion, have been trained to use "water skis" permitting the rider to skate over the water at a rate of nine kilometres and hour.

A Chinese Idea

One informant said that the "water skis" or "canoe shoes" are made of cork two metres long and 50 centimetres wide, attached to the ankles with leather straps.

The idea was picked up by General Hans von Seeckt, former military adviser to the Chinese Government, when he saw Chinese gymnasts performing on the Yangtze River. Returning to Germany in 1936, the veteran general submitted the idea to Admiral Erich Raeder, Commander-in-Chief of the German Navy, after which it was filed with the Ministry of the Navy until several months ago.

German technicians have improved the Chinese models it is claimed, and the "water skis" are now said to be in production at numerous shoe factories whose civilian production ended with the outbreak of war. These plants have now resumed manufacture, using all available cork supplies.

Cork for bottle tops has been very scarce in Germany for many months past. Skating and skiing champions and acrobats were developed concurrently as teachers for the "water ski" troops according to the same source.

The first experiments with the new means of transportation took place on the Bavarian lakes and at Mecklenburg. Later training on a larger scale was said to have been given off Buriscke and Nehrung, opposite Memel, and finally from ships at sea.—United Press.

Count Ciano Leaves For Berlin

Axis Said Perturbed by U.S. Help to Britain

Rome, Sept. 26.

Count Galeazzo Ciano, Foreign Minister, left for Berlin early this morning, it was officially announced. The official announcement on the departure of Count Ciano said that he would remain in Germany for a "brief sojourn."

Count Ciano was believed to be making the trip in connection with the series of conferences held here last week when Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop, German Foreign Minister, discussed vital matters with him and Premier Benito Mussolini.—United Press.

Axis Powers Perturbed

Zurich, Sept. 26.

The object of the present visit of Count Ciano, Italian Foreign Minister to Germany, is to continue discussions of Axis plans for dealing with the Mediterranean situation, says the "Basler Nachrichten."

The same paper's Berlin correspondent mentions the importance attached to the attitude of the United States in the recent Axis discussions "as a potential helper of Britain."—Reuter.

Washington Criticizes Attitude of Vichy

Straining of Franco-U.S. Relations Seen

Washington, Sept. 26.

Making due allowance for France's difficulties as a captured nation, there is a feeling in Administration circles that Marshal Petain is displaying an unnecessary amount of willingness to cooperate with the Axis.

French air attacks on Gibraltar and the stubborn resistance to General Charles de Gaulle at Dakar have caused anger and placed a heavier strain on Franco-American relations.

German control of Dakar is regarded here as a distinct menace to the western hemisphere.

Formal comment by the Department of State is lacking, but some members of the Administration have strongly criticized the Vichy Government for actively assisting the Axis against its former ally, Britain.—Reuter.

Schoolboy Kidnapped Outside School

Armed kidnappers ran riot yesterday in the Settlement and in the third of a series of abductions kidnapped Sing Tsi-tsaung, a Chinese student, as he was leaving the McTyeire High School on Edinburgh Road.

The boy, son of wealthy parents was about to get into a private car when he was intercepted by five men two armed. At the pistol point they forced the chauffeur to leave the car and remove the ignition key. Secure in the knowledge that the private car would not offer pursuit the kidnappers bundled the boy into another waiting car and drove away. The chauffeur made a report to the police.

Up to a late hour last night detectives of the Bubbling Well station were investigating the case, but no arrests were made and the whereabouts of the victim remained a mystery.

Britain May Get Tanks "Flying Fortresses"

New York, Sept. 26.

President Roosevelt is seriously considering proposals for the transfer of some army tanks and "flying fortress" planes to Britain as a follow up to the destroyer deal. This is according to a despatch received from Washington by the "New York Herald-Tribune."—Reuter.

★Bases in Four Countries Smashed

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Raids on Le Havre continued intermittently over the same length of time. A violent explosion marked a direct hit on what appeared to be a power station in the harbour. German long-range gun positions at Cap Gris Nez were attacked shortly before dawn and a number of hits registered on new emplacements under construction.

Further operations yesterday by aircraft of the Coastal Command are described in a bulletin of the news service of the Air Ministry.

Supply Ship Sunk

A Hudson aircraft sank a German supply-ship near the Frisian Islands early yesterday morning. There were three enemy vessels in a convoy and the Hudson made a dive-bombing attack on the largest ship, which was leading. Three bombs made direct hits. The ship was settling down by her stern when the Hudson flew away followed by anti-aircraft fire from the two other vessels.

Brest was again attacked. This time by Beaufort and Anson aircraft. They damaged docks and started a vast fire on and around railway sidings.

When Blenheims raided Cherbourg they had to contend with extremely bad visibility, but all found their objectives.—Reuter.

More Devastating Raids

London, Sept. 26.

Berlin, Kiel and German invasion bases were raided last night, announced the Air Ministry in a communique.

"On Wednesday night strong forces of our bombers attacked military objectives at Berlin, Kiel and invasion bases in enemy occupied territory."

Describing last night's raid over Berlin—the third raid in succession over Germany's capital—the Air Ministry states that it was maintained from 10 p.m. yesterday until the early hours of this morning. Heavy bombers kept up a series of attacks on important military objectives in and around Berlin during this period.

Four separate attacks within an hour were made on the Klingenberg power station situated in the heart of the industrial section to the east of the city. The station is the source of power supply for some of the city's largest industrial concerns. Sticks of heavy-calibre bombs burst on and around the station, followed by the outbreak of a fire.

The West Power Station, which had already been heavily damaged in previous raids, was attacked and a large fire started.

Salvoes of high-explosive bombs were dropped on the Schoeneberg railway yard, three miles south-west of the city centre, and on the main railway junction near the Charlottenburg district, one of the chief residential quarters of the city.

In an attack on Berlin's main airport at Tempelhof a line of bombs was laid across the northern half of the aerodrome and nearby railway sidings were also bombed.

Another raider, which arrived over the eastern outskirts of the city at about midnight, cruised above an industrial district for 20 minutes searching a target under heavy fire from ground batteries. After parachute flares had been released a target, a munitions factory at Ruedersdorf, 17 miles east of Berlin, was located and bombed, and a fire was seen to break out.

Channel Ports Bombed

Royal Air Force planes bombed French Channel ports this morning, according to a Press Association correspondent on the south-east coast.

The attack began early this morning and many high explosive and incendiary bombs were dropped from Dunkirk to Boulogne until the whole stretch of the coast line appeared to be on fire.

German searchlights and flashes from bursting bombs and shells lit the area almost like day. The force of the explosions were so heavy that the English side of the Channel shock.—Reuter.

Longest Raid

New York, Sept. 26.

The Royal Air Force subjected Berlin to the longest raid of the war according to dispatches received here from Berlin. After a five-hour alarm the raid ended at 4 a.m. today.

"British planes again attacked the German capital during the night, dropping bombs at random on several places in residential quarters and outer suburbs," was the official German news agency version of the raid.

The agency continued: "A number of dwelling houses and bungalows were destroyed.—Reuter.

Aircraft Factory in India Planned

Simla, Sept. 26.

Mr. Tymms, Director of Civil Aviation in India, who is in the United States, is engaged, it is learned, in endeavouring to secure material for the construction of an aircraft factory in India.

The proposed factory, it is understood, would be privately owned, but Mr. Tymms is stated to have promised a substantial order from the Indian Government.—Reuter.

Japan Launches New Warship

Tokyo, Sept. 26.

A new Japanese warship was launched at the Kure Naval base today. The category of the new war vessel christened the "Uji," was not disclosed.

According to an official communique the vessel slid down the ways of the Osaka steel works without incident. Vice-Admiral Masaharu Hibino, Commander-in-Chief of the Kure base, was present representing the Minister of the Navy.—United Press.

Rumania's Vast Losses

New Economic Resources Come Within Reach of Axis Powers

London, Sept. 26.

For the first time since the partition of Rumania, the Ministry of Economic Warfare issued a statement today detailing the Balkan country's estimated agricultural and mineral losses to Hungary. As a result of the recent Vienna Diktat many new economic resources are within reach of the Axis powers, the statement declared.

From the total production of Rumania the 12 ceded Transylvanian provinces accounted for 15 per cent. of the country's wheat which now goes to Hungary; seven per cent. of her corn; four per cent. of her oats; 20 per cent. of her barley; 19 per cent. of her cows; 13 per cent. of her pigs; 12 per cent. of her sheep and nine per cent. of her horses, the statement declard.

Twenty-five per cent. of Rumanian forest land now belongs to Hungary, the communique added.

The Ministry declared that of Rumania's annual production of 175,000 ounces of gold, 24 per cent. has now been transferred to Hungary. Similarly 88 per cent. of her silver production has been lost along with 22 per cent. of her salt and eight per cent. of her coal, it was claimed.

In addition, it was stated, Hungary has acquired vast potential stores of Rumanian bauxite and iron ore as well as already mined reserves.—United Press.

Bulgarians Occupy Second Zone

Sofia, Sept. 28.

Bulgarian troops have occupied the second zone in south Dobrudja without incident, according to an official communique. The occupation of the third zone takes place on Saturday.—Reuter.

★Police, Passengers Hurt by Strikers

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These are, just as on the first day of the walk-out, served by the personnel who refused to be intimidated, with two policemen on the platforms to afford protection to the motormen and conductors operating the lines.

No Change in Settlement

No changes in the tramway and bus strikes in the Settlement had been noted yesterday, and an official of the Shanghai Electric Construction Company stated yesterday that no further developments had taken place since the last meeting between the representatives of the strikers and the administration of the company. It was then stated that an agreement would have been reached had it not been for political influences, exerting pressure against settlement.

Similar conditions existed at the China General Omnibus Company where the employees, including the office staff, walked out on Tuesday morning. The deadlock ensued after the administration of the company failed to accept all the demands presented by the strikers. Some of these, the management claimed, were absolutely out of the question.

No serious disturbances took place at the bus depot in Connaught Road, where Settlement Police are on duty day and night to prevent any untoward incidents. The Italian Marines, in whose sector the depot is situated, have also promised to help the police should occasion demand it.

Rumours that the company intends to put out a skeleton service today have been denied by an official of the company who stated that the management has no intention whatever of doing this. The rumour had it that the service would be served by the foreign personnel of the company.

232 Nazi Planes Said Downed on September 15

Air Marshal Appeals to Aircraft Workers

London, Sept. 26.

On September 15, when the Royal Air Force claimed 185 German 'planes, 47 more "almost certainly came down" and 17 more were damaged, Air Marshal Sir Arthur Barratt revealed yesterday.

Appealing to thousands of men and women, workers in the south-east, to produce planes, he promised them "you produce planes and we of the air force will do the rest."

The air marshal, who was commander-in-chief of the Royal Air Force in France, before the French collapse, said the downfall of their ally was entirely due to the fact that they could not think of anything but defence.—Reuter.

OBITUARY

James Douglas

London, Sept. 26.

Mr. James Douglas, well-known journalist and director of London Express Newspapers, Ltd., died here today at the age of 73. He was the editor of the "Sunday Express" (1920-31) and former editor of the "Star."

Mr. Douglas had contributed critical articles to Chambers's Cyclopædia of English Literature, the Athenæum and many other journals.

His publications are: Theodore Watts Dunton, Poet, Novelist, Critic; The Man in the Pulpit; The Unpardonable Sin, a novel; Adventures in London; Down Shoe Lane; and The Bunch Book.—Reuter.

British Ship Reported Torpedoed

New York, Sept. 26.

The British steamer Sulairia (Glasgow, 5,802 tons), of the Donaldson Line, Ltd., was torpedoed in the Atlantic yesterday, according to a report intercepted by Mackay Radio.—Reuter.

Legion Convention in Milwaukee Next Year

Boston, Sept. 26.

The American Legion annual National Convention last night selected Milwaukee as the site of its 1941 convention.—United Press.

Terrific Explosion In U.S. Factory

Clairton, Pa., Sept. 26.

A terrific explosion in a local chemical factory yesterday rocked this town of 15,000 persons and shattered windows over a two block radius. Only six employees of the chemical factory were injured, however. Fires which broke out in the plant after the explosion were promptly put out. — United Press.

★Allied Forces Withdrawn from Dakar

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"The British naval commander warned the French authorities that submarines would be engaged if they left the harbour. In spite of this warning, three submarines made attacks on our ships and active measures had to be taken against them, with the result that two were sunk, but the entire crew of one were fortunately saved and will be repatriated at the first opportunity.

"Forces of General de Gaulle attempted to make a landing, which was not successful, and when it became plain that only a major operation would secure the fall of Dakar it was decided to discontinue hostilities as it has never been the intention of His Majesty's Government to enter into serious warlike operations against those Frenchmen who felt it their duty to obey the commands of the Vichy Government.

"General de Gaulle himself was most anxious that he should not be the cause of bloodshed to his fellow-countrymen.

"The forces concerned are, therefore, now being withdrawn from the region of Dakar."—Reuter.

France Not at War With Britain

Vichy, Sept. 26.

France is definitely not in a state of war with Britain, despite Anglo-French clashes at Dakar and Gibraltar, the French Foreign Office announced here at 5 p.m. yesterday (1 a.m. today, Shanghai D.L.T.).—United Press.

300 Bombs Rained on Gibraltar by French

Little Damage to Military Works or Personnel

Gibraltar, Sept. 26.

A hundred French bombers, believed to have come from French Morocco, raided Gibraltar in waves again yesterday, dropping an estimated 300 bombs.

Buildings, roads and some of the old defences were hit. Considerable damage was inflicted on private property and government offices. There was little real damage to military works or personnel, however. A small ship in the harbour was sunk. There were a number of casualties, some of them fatal.

The Rock's anti-aircraft batteries hurled up fierce barrages, downing three raiders and possibly two more. A number of French airmen were seen coming down in parachutes over the Mediterranean. They were believed to have perished.

Many bombs fell in the water around Gibraltar or on barren parts of the Rock. Others fell in the nearby Spanish town of La linea, one narrowly missing the Customs House.

The population of Gibraltar took the French air raid calmly. A short while after the raid they cheered the military band which paraded for the ancient Ceremony of the Keys.—United Press.

Gibraltar, Sept. 26.

It is officially stated that over 100 French aircraft dropped 300 bombs in a raid on Gibraltar yesterday lasting 2½ hours. Some bombs fell in the sea and barren parts of the sea and barren parts of the rock, but many dropped on buildings, roads and old defences, causing considerable damage to private and Government property but little to military works and personnel.

A small ship was struck and subsequently sank in the harbour. There were some fatal casualties. Three raiders are said to have been "certainly downed."—Reuter.

French Claim Renown Hit

Vichy, Sept. 26.

The British battleship HMS Renown was struck during the French bombing attack on Gibraltar Tuesday evening, it was asserted here last night. The ship had to leave Gibraltar, presumably for repars at a naval base.

More than 100 tons of bombs were dropped by large formations of French planes over the Rock, it was stated here. Squadrons of fighter planes protected the bombing forces.

The Gibraltar arsenal, the moles in the harbour, and several harbour works were bombed, it was stated. Every French warplane returned safely to its base.—Havas.

Meat Ration at Home Increased

Butter Allotments Reduced As Precaution

London, Sept. 26.

As a precautionary measure in order to conserve existing stocks, the Minister of Food, Lord Woolton, has announced that the butter ration will be reduced from four ounces to two ounces a week from September 30.

On the other hand, the meat ration will be increased from 1/10d. in value to 2/2d. a head.

The Ministry's statement points out that at this season of the year Australian and New Zealand supplies are always at their lowest, rising progressively from November with the advance of summer months in the southern hemisphere.

The present fat ration of eight ounces, consisting of six ounces of butter and margarine and two ounces of fat, will not be affected. Consumers will still receive eight ounces making up for the reduction of butter by an increase in margarine or cooking fats.—Reuter.

Vichy Pays Tribute To "Black Africa"

Foiled the First Attempts Of an Adventurer

Vichy, Sept. 26.

"Your loyal and resolute attitude has foiled the first attempts of an adventurer, and the same fate awaits any that may follow," declares Admiral Platon, Minister of Colonies, in a message addressed today to "Black Africa."

He adds: "The Government knows that it may count on your devotion and the valour of your chiefs. It will spare nothing on its side to come to your assistance."

In a communique issued earlier by the French Admiralty, it was stated that the attack on Dakar was resumed just after 9 a.m. yesterday, adding: "One of two torpedoed British battleships withdrew from the action with a strong list."

The communique claims that in the course of yesterday's operations, "our cruisers scored several hits on the Barham and Resolution as well as on a cruiser of the Kent type."—Reuter.

Defence Drive Speed-up Wanted

Atlantic City, N.J., Sept. 26.

The economic policy commission of the American Bankers' Association Convention issued a report here yesterday declaring that "defence rearmament is proceeding far more slowly than it should be."

"The likelihood of our being able to escape an actual part in the present war may depend upon the vigour and efficiency of our preparations," the report said.

The report also warned that after the current war, the safety of Democracy will depend on proof that free enterprise provides better living standards than regimentation under a dictator.—United Press.

Chinese Launch Shansi Attack

Chungking, Sept. 26.

Chinese forces operating near Wenhsi, in the Anyi sector of Shansi province, launched an attack yesterday along the southern section of the Tungpu railway, moving West in the direction of Shengpotsun, it was announced in military circles here today.

A Japanese counter-attack from Wenhsi was repelled, it was claimed. In the Tsincheng sector, Chinese troops recaptured a number of key points, including Tsikingtsun, Nanshihchung, and Peishihchuang. — Havas.

Panama Condemns Totalitarianism

Panama, Sept. 26.

A resolution strongly condemning totalitarianism was unanimously passed by the National Assembly here last evening. It urged the Spanish Government not to permit itself to be drawn into the European conflict.—Reuter.

Former Belgian Ministers In Spain

Barcelona, Sept. 26.

Hubert Pierlot and Paul Henry-Spaak, former Belgian Premier and Foreign Minister respectively, arrived at Barcelona yesterday.—Havas.

Americans May Evacuate Far East

Washington, Sept. 26.

A leading American broadcasting concern announced here today that the U.S. Government was preparing to organize the evacuation from the Far East of about 11,000 American citizens in the event of danger. Havas.

American Labour Wants Support for Britain

Mr. William Green Calls For All Possible Help

Boston, Sept. 26.

Mr. William Green, president of the American Federation of Labour, advocated complete American material aid to Britain in a speech before the American Legion Convention here last night.

"As long as the Battle of Britain continues," Mr. Green declared, "there will be no Battle of America.

"It seems logical and sound to extend to Britain and her heroic army and navy all the American support possible short of war.

"A Totalitarian victory would mean dictatorship and regimentation throughout the world."

Mr. Green said the American Federation of Labour gives its wholehearted support to military conscription in the United States.—United Press.

Vichy "Dismisses" New Hebrides Official

Vichy, Sept. 26.

The French Government yesterday dismissed Henri Sautot, high colonial functionary and the French representative on the Governing Commission of the New Hebrides, which are under Franco-British condominium and which have proclaimed themselves for former General de Gaulle.—Havas.

King Haakon Outlawed By Germany

London, Sept. 26.

The permanent outlawing of King Haakon and his house was proclaimed by the German Commissar for Norway in a broadcast over the Oslo Radio today.

He announced the dissolution of all former political parties, the suppression of the administrative council, and the appointment of a new state council.—Reuter.

French Planes Said Going Back to U.S.

American Airmen Said Sent to Martinique

New York, Sept. 26.

A group of American airmen have gone to Martinique to fly back to the United States nearly 100 warplanes which have been there aboard the French aircraft carrier Bearn since the fall of France, according to the "Herald Tribune," which quotes unofficial information which has been circulating in Washington.

The State, War and Navy Departments and the British and French Embassies have professed ignorance of the matter. But it is known that interests which are concerned, including the manufacturers, have been trying to find a means of getting the planes back without risking a clash between British and French naval forces.—Reuter.

All Rothschild Property In France Under Seal

Vichy, Sept. 26.

All properties of the whole Rothschild family in France were placed under seal yesterday, when the law at first applied only to Baron Maurice de Rothschild was extended. The bank accounts and landed properties of Edouard, Philippe, Henri and Robert Rothschild are therefore affected now. All of the men named have fled from France.—Havas.

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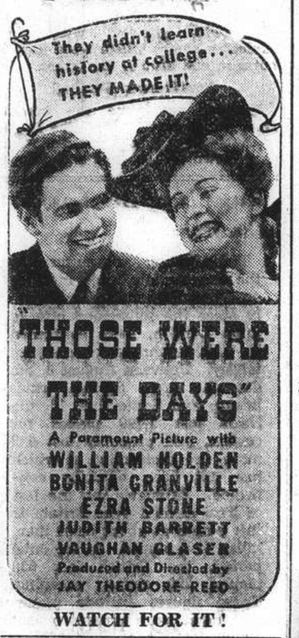

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Outside Pressure on Utilities Strikers Diminishes

Severe Reaction on Stock Exchange; Conferences Of Non-Strikers' Delegates; Russians Employed

RELAXATION of external pressure, said to be responsible for the strikes of operatives of the two transport companies in the Settlement and the French Tramway Company was evidenced yesterday by visits made to at least two of the three utility concerns affected by delegates of an outside organization. Owing to the apparent political nature of the deadlocks it would be futile to surmise when the strikes will terminate.

It was learned that some time after 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon a heavily armoured car drove up to the office of the French Tramway Company on Avenue Dubail and its occupants, several Chinese, were in conference with M. J. Favret, manager of the company. The visitors left about twenty minutes later and their car was seen driving away in a westerly direction. Included in the group was a man in foreign attire who was decidedly not a Chinese.

Asked later if there was any conference yesterday M. Favret briefly replied: "Some people came without any authority to speak on behalf of the workmen so I did not discuss anything with them." He emphasized that the men were not delegates of the operatives of his company.

An official of the company took exception to the word "Strike" being applied to the laying-off work of the operatives. He thought the term was derogatory to men who, he declared, had been intimidated into absenting themselves from work.

"Not So Bad"

Although immediate prospects of settling the deadlock in the French Tramway Company are remote M. Favret stated that the situation was not so bad, adding: "We have more cars running today than yesterday. Maybe tomorrow there will still be more cars". In these few words he expressed the permanent and inflexible policy of the company to maintain at all costs the essential services of the important utility company in the French Concession, responsible not only for its electricity and water supply, but also the tram and bus services. It will be recalled that in a strike of workers of the company some time ago, the management left no stone unturned to continue the maintenance of its electric and water supplies.

It was learned yesterday afternoon from a responsible Russian source that the company had engaged a Russian emergency crew the members of which would be paid eight dollars a day when their services were required and four dollars when they simply stand by.

Russian Paper Indignant

The employment of Russians to fill the place of the strikers was the subject of a violent tirade against foreign workmen in an article which appeared yesterday in "The Far Eastern Times", a Russian daily. The article declared that the utilization of Russians to act as strike-breakers could only serve to arouse the antagonism of the Chinese and result in racial hatred. The article then went on to warn Russians in Shanghai against working for "vested interests" and "millionaires" who it was stated, were in control of the big business in Shanghai. The Russians who accepted employment with such interests it was emphasized, would be traitors to the cause of labour and would play into the hands of the moneyed class.

The strikes of the utility companies were reported to have brought a severe reaction yesterday on the Shanghai Stock Exchange when prices for all local shares registered a sharp decline with a dearth of buyers. This was ascribed to the possibility of the strike spreading to other businesses and utility companies.

Merchant, Youth Kidnapped

Western District Scene Of Armed Abductions; Crimes for Ransom

The western district of the International Settlement was again the scene of armed kidnapping when two Chinese were abducted by armed men, both cases being carried out within two hours. Up to a late hour yesterday no traces had been discovered by the Municipal Police, although a car, used in the second kidnapping, was later recovered by police in Jessfield.

The first case was reported to the Bubbling Well police station shortly before 8 a.m. by the St. John's Middle School in Jessfield Road. One of their pupils had been carried away by a gang of about six-or-seven men within sight of the school. The victim, Chen Chong-tsung, seventeen years of age and a native of Chekiang, was going to school at 7.45 a.m. When within two hundred yards of his destination, he was approached by the abductors who hustled him into a alleyway near by. The crime was seen by some schoolboys, who reported the case to the school authorities. The latter communicated with the Police.

No political motive was attached to the crime by the detectives investigating, who believed that ransom was the aim of the criminals. The victim's father is a Chinese business man.

Iron Merchant Carried Off

Another kidnapping was reported to the Gordon Road police station two hours later after three armed men had abducted Mr. Yung Chi-ting, manager of the New China Iron Works.

Investigations showed that Mr. Yung was driving in his private car to his office, which is situated at Lane 895 House 60 Ferry Road when, a few steps from the Works, he was ordered to stop by the trio, who brandished their pistols. The abductors then forced the victim into the rear seat, while one of them took the wheel and drove away.

The car, bearing licence plates 412, was discovered later in the morning in Jessfield Road. No traces of the victim, nor of the kidnappers had been found.

It was believed that this crime was also committed for ransom, since the victim is considered to be a wealthy man. Police investigations failed to show whether the man was connected with any political organizations.

Internment Camp Now Back to Normal

The situation at the interned soldiers' camp has returned to normal. At the request of the Chairman of Council, Messrs. Yu Ya-ching and Gockson have visited the camp and assisted in restoring normality. This morning the internees paraded on the camp parade ground and a check of their numbers was made. The normal visiting regulations are again in force and the guard has been reduced to normal strength.

Apprentice Acquitted On Theft Charge

A young apprentice of the Foh Sing Dry Cleaning Company, Ling Tsfaung, who confessed to having stolen a pawn ticket from the suit of Mr. G. H. Harvey, was judged not guilty by the First Special District Court yesterday. He was allowed to go free with a warning, due to the fact that he is only 14 years old, and not responsible for his actions.

B.W.A. Told of War Effects at Home

Informal Lunchtime Talk By Professor Winifred Cullis

Business women listened from their luncheon tables at the British Women's Association headquarters, 12 The Bund, yesterday to a most interesting talk informally given by Professor Winifred Cullis, at present touring the Far East for the British Ministry of Information.

After speaking of organized war work for women, Professor Cullis dwelt upon the absolute assurance which rules in Britain today, and told her listeners that they must never feel shaken by newspaper accounts of happenings which sounded very much more exciting than they really were.

From the outbreak of the war London had expected to be bombed. Hospitals had been evacuated in readiness and all preparations made for dealing with an average of 30,000 casualties a day, which was what authorities were looking for. Instead of which the total number of casualties from air raids over London at the middle of August amounted to less than 10.000 for the eleven months of war. Not a single factory of any consequence had been put out of action or the rate of munitions production diminished.

Air Ministry's Accuracy

Interesting points on the utility of balloon barrages are first, they force enemy aircraft to fly high to avoid crashing by contact with the cables and by flying high to facilitate the anti-aircraft gunnery; second, the number of florating balloons practically prevents accurate aiming on the part of the enemy planes flying above them.

Why, Professor Cullis went on to ask, was not a single enemy bomber seen over the many little harbours in England at which the B.E.F. were disembarked after the evacuation from Dunkirk—was it from German solicitude for the lives of our people? No—it was because the Germans couldn't get there.

She ended her talk in the way in which she concludes every talk she gives, by solemnly assuring her listeners that the figures of profit and loss given by the Air Ministry are absolutely to be relied on. There are only two ways in which an R.A.F. pilot is allowed to score: he may produce the actual photograph of his bird being brought down (this is done by automatic photography through the gun-sight); or his claim must be attested to by an independent pilot seeing an enemy plane brought down at the actual spot claimed. Mr. Vernon Bartlett in a recent broadcast said, "The Air Ministry assert that their figures are correct. I say that they are not correct"—and went on to say that they were not correct because they should be doubled.

Applause was enthusiastic at the end of the talk, and Mrs. V. Arnold Jones, chairman of the British Women's Association, thanked Professor Cullis for giving the talk.

Soviet Consulate May Be Reopened

Plans are now being laid for a reopening of the local Soviet Consulate which has been closed since shortly after the outbreak of the Sino-Japanese hostilities, it was revealed yesterday morning by the "Tairiku Shimpo," local Japanese-language daily.

According to the paper, the reopening of the Soviet Consulate is being planned in view of the increasing gravity of the situation in the Far East, coupled with the recent developments in Europe.

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

M.O.I. Lecturer Meets B.W.A. Members

At the British Women's Association headquarters, 12 The Bund, yesterday at tiffin time, Professor Winifred Cullis, of the British Ministry of Information, gave an exceedingly interesting and heartening talk on Britain in wartime. The picture shows Professor Cullis in conversation with some of her audience.

Slight Decrease in Crime Last Month

Police Searched More Than Million Persons During August

Nearly 2,300 cases of crime were investigated by the Shanghai Municipal Police in August, according to the Police report for the month. This represents a decrease of 66 in comparison with the cases for July, and an increase of 104 over the figure for the corresponding period of last year. Arrests for crimes committed in the month show an increase, 1,732 persons having been detained in August, compared with 1,724 in July. In addition to these arrests for crimes in the month, 203 persons were taken into custody for offences committed in previous months, while 48 were arrested on behalf of other authorities.

Of the arrests made in August, 69 were for complicity in armed robberies, 27 firearms and a quantity of ammunition being seized. The Headquarters Narcotic Section carried out 14 raids, and arrested 55 persons. Police Station staffs dealt with 39 narcotic cases, and arrested 82 persons. In connection with these arrests, 189 ounces of opium and 24 ounces of heroin were seized.

Property valued at $663,677 was alleged to have been stolen; of this $243,449 was recovered. One prisoner was released under Government amnesty during the month, while one person previously released under this scheme was re-arrested. Since the amnesty scheme started, 3,037 prisoners have been released, while 1,359 of these ex-convicts have been re-arrested for offences committed since their release. No prisoners were released on bail during the month, but two, previously freed, were again taken into custody. Since the introduction of this scheme, 318 persons have been released, and 14 re-arrested.

Refugees Decrease

The number of refugee camps in the International Settlement remained at 11, although the number of refugees housed decreased from 16,264 to 15,867. Medical treatment in hospitals was given to 455 refugees in three emergency hospitals. Censorship of newspapers printed in the Chinese language was enforced from August 6, police visiting newspaper offices night and day. Two foreign and seven Chinese publications were registered during the month.

East Surreys, Seaforths In Singapore

Singapore, Sept. 26.

Newspapers and correspondents today were permitted for the first time to announce the arrival in Singapore of the Seaforth Highlanders and the East Surreys from Shanghai. They are busy learning jungle warfare tactics, the press reported.—United Press.

Altogether 104 films, comprising 33 feature productions, 61 short introductory films and ten newsreels were censored in various theatres throughout the International Settlement and French Concession. Of the feature films, 24 were approved with cuts, and two were banned, while no decision has been reached by the authorities on the remaining two. Only one of the short films was rejected, 59 being passed without question, and one being cut. Four newsreels were passed, and six cut.

The rice situation remained steady for the greater part of August. Towards the end of the month, however, prices began to rise, which fact is attributed to the Indo-China crisis. The stock held in the Settlement at the end of the month amounted to approximately 518,600 zars, some 325,000 zars being stored in foreign godowns in Pootung. Court proceeding were instituted against 96 foreigners and 467 Chinese for traffic offences. A total of 1,091 cyclists were arrested in the month, 474 of whom were charged with carrying passengers or bulky parcels to the public danger, 438 with failing to obey police signals and 38 with dangerous riding. Fines ranging from 30 cents to $7 were imposed. Over 100 bicycles were involved in accidents during the month, a decrease of seven compared with July.

No new rickshaw licences were issued, the number of pullers remaining at 33,250, of whom 629 were charged for breaches of traffic regulations. Private rickshaw licences numbering 326 were issued or renewed, bringing the total number with half year licences to 8,362.

There was considerable activity by police search parties in the month, over a million persons being examined at various places. Of these persons searched, 110 were arrested, four carrying arms.

Life in London is Not So Bad

Conditions Described in Letter to Local Resident From His Father

What it feels like to be in London at present, with all the restrictions in force, is humourously described by the father of a Shanghai resident in a letter to his son, just received. The letter is dated August 2, before the intensification of the Nazi air attacks upon the city. Before that date, nevertheless, there had been a number of raids, though the mass attacks did not begin in earnest until August 8. The letter follows:—

Life is very difficult these days. For weeks I've had nothing to eat but food and me with a weak stomach and no hair on my chest. S'awful, but there, you know all about it from the foreign wireless I expect? I haven't an allotment but I think the latest idea is splendid. Air raid shelters are built under the allotments so that radishes, lettuce, cucumbers, etc., can be pulled from underneath without the allotmenteer exposing himself to the parashooteers. Simple, and makes the whole thing like a picnic if only someone forgets the can opener and salt.

Help for Bookmakers

Newspapers are now very small and contain practically nothing except advertisements, war news, divorces, an odd murder or two and something about sports. What a life! We expect to resume our racing next week for the sake of the bookmakers who, it is sad to say, have been reduced to smoking one cigar at a time and having six meals a day. I think I mentioned that next year's Derby may be run in the Tower Moat at the same time as the Grand National to save oats?

When we go out we are expected to take a gas mask, trench coat, decontamination outfit, identity certificate, a bottle of brandy and some smelling salts (in case of sickness). I got up the High Road the other day with all this lot, but on counting the items found I'd left my vaccination and strawberry marks at home and this is a very serious offence against the law now, as Lord Haw Haw will tell you. If you lose those you lose your licence or lose your lunch, I forget which (see foreign press).

If you read or hear that we spend all our time in the sewers, don't believe it. The enclosed cutting from the "Daily Mail" will tell you that we occasionally creep out and go up the river, wearing gas masks of course.

By the time you get this the "invasion" idea will be a bit of a joke but we had to be prepared for any old thing although I could not see how Hitler could dream of doing it. Ours must be the most cosmopolitan army of recent times and one of the largest packed into such a small space. Apart from the British troops we have the cream of the Polish army, Dutch, Norwegian, French and two or three others. The whole lot must be now about five million, if we include the "Home Guard," and this is a real army, not a rabble. Did I tell you of the Canadian I met? I asked what part of Canada he came from and he said "'Frisco." So do a lot more, I expect.

Konoye Reports To Emperor

Tokyo, Sept. 26.

Various aspects of State affairs were reported to the Throne this morning by the Premier, Prince Fumimaro Konoye.—Domei.

Strike Reactions In Shanghai

Water Stored by Over-Cautious Residents

A state bordering on bewilderment prevailed among many residents of the French Concession yesterday with the threat of the strike of buses and trams of the French Tramway Company spreading to the water and electricity supplies of the company. Many households took the special precaution of storing water in tanks and other available receptacles, in anticipation of a water shortage.

The telephones of the company were kept busy a good part of the afternoon by anxious enquirers who required assurances that there was no immediate prospect of the water supply being paralyzed as a possible result of the strike affecting other operatives of the company.

A humourous interlude was injected into the dismal picture of the local situation by a footsore pedestrian who had "Hiked It" all the way to town from Bubbling Well observing that the clang of a tramcar would sound like music to his ears. Another story went the rounds in the French Concession that someone who did not intend to be taken seriously, phoned the French Tramway Company enquiring if there were any receptacles for storing electricity for future consumption.

A number of car owners in the French Concession again played the good Samaritan by picking up belated office workers, and it was learned that members of the fair sex received a greater distribution of this bounty. Other office workers were said to have developed the habit of "Hitch Hiking", footing it part of the way and riding it for the rest of the trip to the business centre.

One of the consequences of the strikes was the appreciable decrease in the number of street accidents in the past few days, the daily average of ten accidents in the central district of the Settlement alone being reduced to a bare two or three in number owing to the considerable reduction in traffic. The city also lost much of its busy aspect with the absence of the trams and buses from the streets of the Settlement.

Firm Flesh Turns To Fat

When Food Tract is Constipated.

A cause of unhealthy fat is often a congested food tract. Absorbing the fermenting wastes into your system will create the fat of ill-health. These digestive poisons account for the sick headaches, bilious attacks, flatulence, skin blotches and bad breath to which over-weight women and men are subject.

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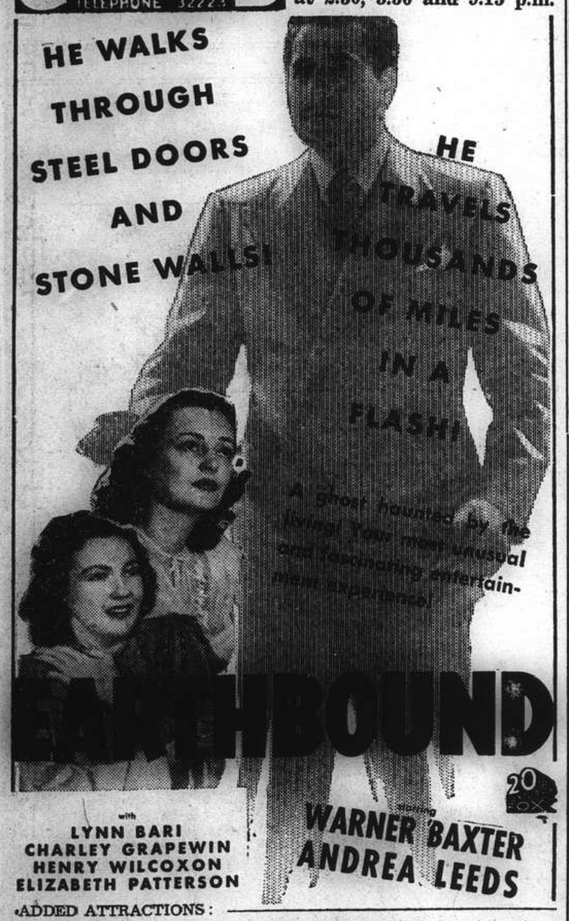

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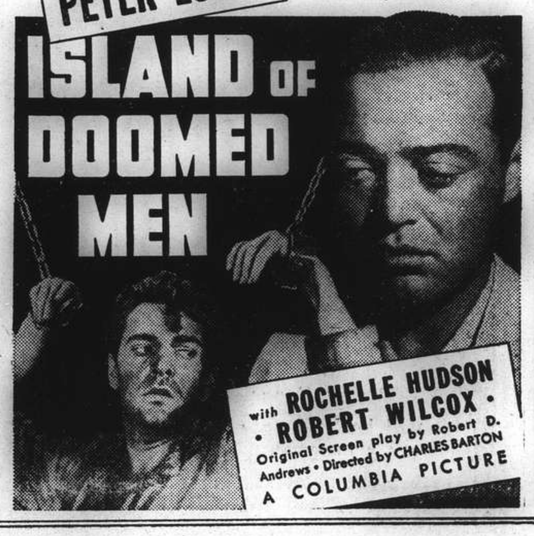

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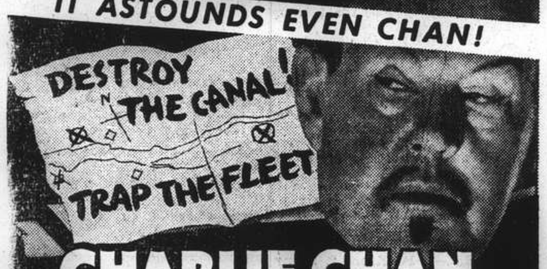

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THE SPORTS PAGE

Tigers Tumble Chisox Twice To Tighten Grip on Pennant

Buck Newsom Credited with Both Bengal Victories; Tigers Now Almost a Cinch for World Series

New York, Sept. 25.

THE Detroit Tigers won both ends of a double-header against the Chicago White Sox today to come into virtual possession of the American League pennant after one of the most hectic pennant races in several seasons.

The Tigers are not yet a cinch for the World Series, but they can lose two more games while their closest rivals must do this:

The second place Cleveland Indians must win all three games of a final series against the Tigers which begins tomorrow, and the third place New York Yankees must win all their remaining games.

Buck Newsom was credited with turning in both Tiger victories today.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	9	17	3
Detroit	10	16	3
(Opener)			
Batteries: Lee, Brown and Tresn; Bridges, Benton, Trout, Newsom and Tebbetts.			
Chicago	2	8	0
Detroit	3	5	0
(Nightcap)			
Batteries: Rigney and Turner; Newsom and Sullivan.			
St. Louis	2	6	1
Cleveland	4	7	0
Batteries: Kennedy and Swift; Milnar and Pytlak.			
Boston-Philadelphia: rain.			
Washington-New York: rain.			

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Cincinnati	5	12	2
St. Louis	0	2	0
(Opener)			
Batteries: Thompson and West; McGee, Shoun and Owen.			
Cincinnati	3	12	1
St. Louis	4	8	0
(Nightcap)			
Batteries: Walters and Baker; Hutchinson, M. Cooper and W. Cooper.			
Pittsburgh	1	6	2
Chicago	2	5	1
(Opener)			
Batteries: Sewell, Schultz and Davis; Lee and McCulloch.			
Pittsburgh	4	11	1
Chicago	6	11	1
(Nightcap)			
Batteries: Brown, Dietz and Davis; Olsen, Raffensberger and Todd.			
New York-Brooklyn: rain.			
Philadelphia-Boston: rain.			

Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	89	62	.589
Cleveland	87	64	.576
New York	84	64	.568
Chicago	80	71	.530
Boston	77	71	.520
St. Louis	66	85	.437
Washington	62	87	.418
Philadelphia	53	94	.361

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Cincinnati	97	51	.655
Brooklyn	87	62	.584
St. Louis	81	67	.547
Pittsburgh	77	75	.507
Chicago	74	72	.507
New York	68	79	.463
Boston	63	85	.426
Philadelphia	48	98	.329

—United Press.

Bimelech Breaks Bone in Foot

Colonel Bradley Retires Colt for Year; Feared it May Never Race Again

Colonel E. R. Bradley's Bimelech was discovered to have a broken bone in his foot which will take him from racing for the rest of the year.

Colonel Bradley announced the injury after withdrawing the colt from the seventy-first running of the Travers Stakes. "There is no telling when he broke the bone or when he received the injury," the aged horseman said.

The injury was discovered while Bimmie was having a final blowout for the Travers. He was immediately scratched, and at first it was reported he had suffered only a bruised heel.

"X-rays disclosed the broken bone," Colonel Bradley explained.

"When we pull the shoe off the foot," Colonel Bradley went on, his voice near tears, "we may find out that Bimelech has had the broken bone for some time. That may be the reason for his not showing at his best this year. He still is the greatest horse I have ever owned, and is much better than people have given him credit for being."

X-rays were taken of Bimmie's legs, ankles and knees recently and all were found to be absolutely sound, Colonel Bradley added.

In announcing the colt's retirement from racing for this year, Colonel Bradley refused to comment on a question whether Bimmie's running days were ended. It was reported, however, that present plans were to retire him to the stud next Spring.

Second in Kentucky Derby

Bimelech, undefeated in six starts as a 2-year-old last year, was regarded by many this Spring as potentially the greatest horse since Man o' War. However, his form fell off after he had won the Bluegrass Stakes and the Derby Trial this Spring.

He weakened and finished second to Gallahadion in the Kentucky Derby, came back to take the Preakness, ran second to Corydon in the Withers, just lasted to win the Belmont Stakes, and was third, ten lengths back of Sirocco, in the Arlington Classic last month.

Up to date, Bimelech has won $245,095 in thirteen races, placing him among the twenty leading money-winners of all time.

Bimelech was the overnight favourite for the Travers despite the 128 pounds he was asked to carry. This was the greatest burden ever assigned to him as a 3-year-old and six pounds more than Fenelon and Your Chance drew.

Royally bred—he is a bay colt by Black Toney and out of La Troienne, a Teddy mare—Bimelech is expected to be a great success when he eventually is retired to the stud. Bimelech's daddy, Black Toney, is the leading stallion at Colonel Bradley's Idle Hour Farm, near Lexington, Ky.

Canidrome Results

1—300 yd. flat.—1, Impudence; 2, Boxing Fan.
Also ran:—Terminjay, Dopey, Simple Dale, Wild Wind.
1 length.—Time, 18.81.
Win, $9.90. Forecast 2-3 Div. $51.10.
Place. 1st $7.70; 2nd $10.80.

2—300 yd. flat.—1, Great Rambler; 2, Golden Rock.
Also ran:—Master Bill, Peony, Great Romeo, Golden Adagio.
2½ lengths.—Time, 18.02.
Win, $17.70. Forecast 4-6 Div. $134.30.
Place, 1st $9.80; 2nd $16.60.
Double Event 1/2 2-4 Div. $23.70.

3—440 yd. flat.—1, Miss Pitts; 2, Dusty Lad.
Also ran:—Cute Villain, Silvoreen, Our Fortune, Fu Airing.
7 lengths.—Time, 26.34.
Win, $16.40. Forecast 2-4 Div. $72.40.
Place, 1st $10.90; 2nd $7.70.
Double Event 2/3 4-2 Div. $53.30.

4—500 yd. flat.—1, Follow Me; 2, Simple Simon.
Also ran:—Mad Plume, Se You Kee, Humpty Dumpty, Nagasaki.
A head.—Time, 31.46.
Win, $10.80. Forecast 5-3 Div. $45.
Place, 1st $8.30; 2nd $12.20.
Double Event 3/4 2-5 Div. $17.20.

5—500 yd. flat.—1, Go By; 2, Agate.
Also ran:—Stolen Quota, Taigai Junior, Bowsterman, Stolen Quibble.
2½ lengths.—Time, 30.79.
Win, $53.90. Forecast 2-1 Dia. $427.90.
Place, 1st $31.80; 2nd $25.
Double Event 4/5 5-2 Div. $50.10.

6—500 yd. flat.—1, Peerless Special; 2, Grumpy.
Also ran:—Spermin Lecitin, Erin Beau, Le Butin, Wild Harmony.
2½ lengths.—Time, 30.34.
Win, $21.60. Forecast 5-3 Div. $131.20.
Place, 1st $13.10; 2nd $12.20.
Double Event 5/6 2-5 Div. $233.30.

7—500 yd. flat.—1, Peerless Style; 2, Matador.
Also ran:—Mademoiselle, Botany Bay, Radio, Sou Mei.
3½ lengths.—Time, 30.44.
Win, $17.70. Forecast 6-5 Div. $144.10.
Place, 1st $10.80; 2nd $18.80.
Double Event 6/7 5-8 Div. $40.90.

8—500 yd. flat.—1, Fu Avon; 2, Jenny Wren.
Also ran:—Copalet, Rough Coat, Don Luiz, Chez Madelon.
2½ lengths.—Time, 30.25.
Win, $7.60. Forecast 6-4 Div. $27.40.
Place, 1st $6.80; 2nd $10.50.
Double Event 7/8 6-6 Div. $9.90.

9—500 yd. flat.—1, Debtor; 2, Sauce Mironton.
Also ran:—Tamerlane, Don't Forget, Don't Fret, So Far City.
½ length.—Time, 30.06.
Win, $15.70. Forecast 3-4 Div. $56.60.
Place, 1st $11.70; 2nd $12.20.
Double Event 8/9 6-3 Div. $7.70.

10—500 yd. flat.—1, Royal Risk; 2, Gallant Mayor.
Also ran:—Mon Affaire, Real Wizard, Cordon Vert, Grand Society.
10 lengths.—Time, 29.44.
Win, $29.30. Forecast 6-5 Div. $97.90.
Place, 1st $12.50; 2nd $12.60.
Double Event 9/10 3-6 Div. $23.60.

Dempsey Quits His "Come-Back" Stuff

Declares He is Too Old; Recent Fights Only Fun; Will Stick to Refereeing

Montreal, Sept. 26.

Jack Dempsey's "comeback" attempts are over. In Montreal on a visit Dempsey finally confessed that his recent fights were more in fun than anything else.

The 45-year-old ex-heavyweight champion said he would stick to refereeing as far as ring activities for him were concerned, for 45 is too old for fighting.

"I guess maybe I've been a little foolish about this comeback stuff," he said in an interview. "I'm too old to make a comeback. All my friends have been telling me I'd better quit before I get hurt and I guess maybe they're right."

Dempsey claimed that he was still in good physical shape and said he thought he could "lick some of those bums" that are fighting now, but that that was beside the point. He never intended to try a comeback and the whole thing was just a joke.

"Somebody suggested I fight this Cowboy Luttrell after we'd had a bit of an argument over a wrestling bout I was refereeing, so I decided what the hell, I'd fight anybody just for the fun of it. So I fought this guy Luttrell. Then the offers started to pour in and what could I do but accept them. It was picking up money and who's going to turn down easy dough?" he said.—Reuter.

Max Baer Fights Pat Comiskey

Comiskey Favoured to Beat Playboy Max for Right to Meet Champion Joe Louis

New York, Sept. 26.

Nineteen-year-old Pat Comiskey will make his greatest bid for the right to meet Joe Louis for the world heavyweight championship when he clambers into the ring tonight to oppose Max Baer, former world titleholder.

The youthful boxer, who has risen to the top ranks of the heavyweights within the short space of two years, will face Baer as a 6-to-5 favourite.

They are to meet in a 15-round bout at Jersey City and the clash has attracted the greatest interest with the result that the heaviest betting on any fight in five years has been done.

Baer, who also seeks a return clash with Louis despite two defeats, has been training hard for this fight because should he be defeated he will be ready to hang up his gloves.—United Press.

Police Kick Off For Soccer Bid

Paddy Duffy Elected New Skipper; Strong Squad Is Seen in the Making

The soccer season is on the verge once again and already footballers are limbering up for what promises to be one of the most attractive league programmes. The S.M.P. stalwarts set the ball rolling on Wednesday night when they elected Paddy Duffy as their team skipper. If enthusiasm is any criterion the Police should go far in their bid for leading honours. At any rate, they are off to a good start with this wise selection of a capable leader. In Duffy they have an excellent forward as well as a clever captain who should set an unfaltering example to his side.

Despite the big loss to the team of 'Westy" westwood, the guardians squad has an enviable advantage over their league opponents with an undisputed supremacy in height and weight, two factors which should tell heavily in their favour. With the addition of some new blood likely to be seen in action in the Police eleven this season, the tentative line-up holds every promise of developing into a strong combination, always provided that official duties do not interfere with the smooth running of the team organization.

The chief weakness of the side as a whole, according to veteran soccer star Stan Gash, lies in the uneven balance of the present available forward line, which is quite likely to prove the Achilles heel in their league thrust. The keeness of the men, however, coupled with co-ordination acquired from practice, may more than compensate for this initial deficiency. The players are all itching to get on the field and are expected to be in fairly good condition by the time that the league matches get under way.

While no definite line-up has as yet been announced, the following players and their positions were revealed after the meeting on Wednesday night:

Goalkeepers: Willie Ward, Peasegood, and Bulpin.

Backs: Victal, Stangaard, Shute, and Rimmer.

Half-backs: Gibson, Crooke, Bader, N. Douglas, Roliz and "Ginger" Wilkinson.

Forwards: Woodley, Oakley, A. Jack, Paddy Duffy, Sammy Greenberg, and Chookiantzeff.

Others who are not included in this list but who are possibles for the side are A. Fonseca, F. Margison, and Al Davis. There is also a possibility that some new material may be made use of from among the men attached to the Yangtzepoo training depot.

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Recs Expected to Retain Bowls Title Over Week-End

Only Need to Score Another Half-Point on Saturday Or Sunday to Gain Decisive Margin Over "Reds"

THE competition in the senior division of the lawn bowls league will come to a head tomorrow afternoon as it is expected that the Shanghai Recreation Club will gain a decisive margin in the standings in their fixture against the S.L.B.C. "Reds." All that the Recs need to do tomorrow is to score half a point at the expense of the "Reds" and they will have succeeded in retaining the first division championship for another season. Had it not been for the tremendous lead of the Recs players, their encounter with the "Reds" would have provided an exciting struggle tomorrow, with the defending champions going all out to wipe out the upset in the first round, in which the S.L.B.C. players managed to score three points off the Recs.

As it is, there can be little doubt that the Shanghai Recreation Club will be crowned senior champions before the week-end is out. Should the "Reds" produce miraculous form and defeat their rivals by 5-0, the Recs will have another opportunity of gaining that critical half-point in their postponed meeting with the Police Recreation Club, this latter engagement being scheduled for Sunday.

In all, there will be two postponed meetings to be played off on Sunday, the other clash being a second division affair between the Barbarians Bowling Club and the Junior Golf Club. Owing to heavy duties, the Police will not be able to field any junior side, both for tomorrow and on Sunday, their matches with the Country Club and the Recs being scratched and their adversaries being awarded the full five points. Members of the Yangtszepoo Bowling Club are also requested to note that their all-day game, originally arranged for Sunday, has also been cancelled.

Matters in the second division are still in an indefinite stage and it not likely that the junior championship will be decided until the very last week of competition, which takes place the week-end after the coming one.

Week-end programme and teams follows:—

Saturday

FIRST DIVISION

S.L.B.C. "Blues" v. Lusitano "Reds"
Hongkew Golf Club v. Police Recreation Club.
Shanghai Recreation Club v. S.L.B.C. "Reds."
Lusitano "Greens" v. Junior Golf Club.

SECOND DIVISION

Clube Lusitano v. S.L.B.C.
Barbarians Bowling Club v. Shanghai Recreation Club.

Sunday

FIRST DIVISION

Shanghai Recreation Club v. Police Recreation Club.

SECOND DIVISION

Barbarians Bowling Club v. Junior Golf Club.

Saturday

FIRST DIVISION

S.L.B.C. "BLUES" v. LUSITANO "REDS"

S.L.B.C. "BLUES":—T. S. Parry (skip), A. S. Russell, J. J. Evans, B. H. M. Broomhall; E. R. Harmer (skip), F. Hornbrook, E. Jacobs, S. G. Mills; R. McFarlane (skip), A. M. MacGregor, E. Owen, F. McLennan.

LUSITANO "REDS":—A. M. Souza (skip), A. F. Gomes, Dr. D. M. P. Gutterres, F. M. F. Gutierrez; J. P. de Campos (skip), J. Sepe, O. H. Edgren, A. S. Braga; H. A. Ozorio (skip), C. L. Passos, F. M. Gonsalves, A. C. Sequeira.

HONGKEW G.C. v. POLICE R.C.

POLICE RECREATION CLUB:—J. Bull (skip), M. L. Crowther, W. Hutton, W. Dow; A. Hogg (skip), J. M. MacDermott, R. C. Martin, J. Sanbrook; R. Conduit (skip), J. Dudley, S. Craig, J. Ball. Reserves: G. H. Craik, E. Trodd, H. Ekeland, E. Gigarson.

RECS v. S.L.B.C. "REDS"

SHANGHAI RECREATION CLUB:—G. V. Jensen (skip), W. T. Manley, W. Hall, C. R. Clements; F. O. Madar (skip), G. N. Manley, J. M. C. Lopes, T. G. Almeida; G. B. Stormes (skip), C. Thompson, R. E. Manley, L. R. Barrera.

S.L.B.C. "REDS":—W. J. Monk (skip), W. J. Ward, F. S. Ward, L. A. Whittaker; W. A. Turnbull (skip), A. Harvey, A. A. Chalmers, L. J. Hughes; J. Munro (skip), C. Richards, A. T. Barrett, H. S. Bell.

If unable to play, please notify Mr. W. J. Ward (Tel. 19494 or 11848).

LUSITANO "GREENS" v. JUNIOR G.C.

LUSITANO "GREENS":—H. J. Encarnacao (skip), M. P. de Campos, E. A. S. C. de Sousa, M. R. Pereira; S. del Rivero (skip), F. Machado, F. X. Gutierrex, J. M. Gutierrex; E. A. Souza (skip), B. F. Marques, J. F. da Silva, J. E. Medina.

JUNIOR GOLF CLUB:—K. Swartzell (skip), H. Hill, R. Slight, C. Fletcher; A. Denton (skip), J. Gaffney, N. Beeman, R. Miles; R. Thomson (skip), P. Shaw, W. Watson, H. Roche. Reserves: N. Molloy, T. Barry, J. Aquino, H. Cranfield.

Second Division

CLUBE LUSITANO v. S.L.B.C.

CLUBE LUSITANO:—L. F. Lopes (skip), A. J. Maitland, D. M. G. Gutterres, S. F. Xavier; M. F. R. Leitao (skip), H. A. S. de Sousa, A. M. Sequeira, A. M. Gonsalves; J. M. do Rozario (skip), P. A. da Costa, A. A. A. Rodrigues, J. P. G. Roliz.

S.L.B.C.:—C. A. Pratt (skip), J. K. Scobie, J. J. Martin, W. C. Walker; J. A. Stoddart (skip), F. J. Drakeford, R. G. Southerton, F. M. Young; J. A. Brown (skip), J. Prentice, C. W. Smith, D. Harbottle.

Meet at the Clubhouse at 3.00 p.m. Anyone unable to play, please notify Mr. J. Henry (Tel. 18054 or 23421).

BARBARIANS B.C. v. RECS

BARBARIANS BOWLING CLUB:—T. J. Marks (skip), S. Wenman, F. A. Bloomfield, O. Thompson; G. Manning (skip), N. Bell, R. C. Hall, F. G. Monet; D. A. Cumming (skip), G. J. Pryde, J. C. Crighton, V. Mason. Reserves: J. A. Tibble, E. Harper, P. T. Konovaloff.

SHANGHAI RECREATION CLUB:—G. H. Akerman (skip), F. A. Leitao, B. A. Shirazee, H. R. Hotchkiss; R. J. S. Brandt (skip), P. Madar, W. H. Richardson, T. Veitch; G. Madar (skip), T. Kirby, J. R. McDonald, T. Murray.

Sunday

FIRST DIVISION

RECS v. POLICE R.C.

SHANGHAI RECREATION CLUB:—Same as Saturday's team.

POLICE RECREATION CLUB:—J. Bull (skip), M. L. Crowther, W. Hutton, E. Markland; A. Hogg (skip), J. MacDermott, R. C. Martin, J. Sanbrook; R. Conduit (skip), J. Dudley, R. J. Wimsett, J. Ball. Reserves: F. J. Corish, G. H. Craik, W. Dow, W. H. Biggs.

BARBARIANS B.C. v. JUNIOR G.C.

BARBARIANS BOWLING CLUB:—Same as Saturday's team.

JUNIOR GOLF CLUB:—P. Ephgrave (skip), A. Letchford, G. Watt, C. Fletcher; J. Aquino (skip), N. Beeman, E. Blackwood, H. Roche; P. Shaw (skip), R. Slight, T. Pollard, W. Fischer. Reserves: T. Barry, C. Avison, H. Cranfield.

Friendly Match

CUSTOMS v. YEE TSOONG

YEE TSOONG:—A. D. Denton (skip), J. J. Gaffney, T. Baptista, H. S. Bell; E. R. Harmer (skip), E. A. Souza, J. M. Rosario, F. J. Drakeford; F. O. Madar (skip), T. Kirby, N. C. Beeman, W. H. Richardson.

First Soccer Game Set For This Week-end

Newly Promoted J.R.C. to Play S.F.A. Reserve Team

The football season will swing into action this Sunday when a friendly game between the Jewish Recreation Club, newly-promoted to the First Division of the Shanghai Football Association, will meet an S.R.C. Reserve Team. The game will be played at the Kinchow Road ground, at the corner of Wayside Road.

The following S.R.C. players are requested to turn up at the Club on Sunday, September 29, at 3 p.m. sharp: Almeida, Beeman, Crank, A. England, Edgren, Fensham, Hertz, Hotchkiss, E. Harvey, W. Harvey, A. Parker, Kosloff, Lawrence, Manley, Saul, Wurm, Nielsen, Buckley, Wade, Kirby, Young, Ladar, Lucey, Smith, Lee, Kalnujnikoff, Siemsen, Biggs, Rodgers and Saul.

Week-end Teeing Off Times at Hungjao

Saturday

1.15 Maitland, Burton, Smith
2.00 Cheetham, Lester Arnold, Bond
2.05 Howells, Watts, Williams
2.10 Powell, Silby, Bates
2.15 Mac, Hender, Beveridge, Camp
2.20 Mitchell, Twogood, Bates, Rounds
2.25 Sm Wright, Ricket, C. Cumm, Bart
2.30 Captain's Time
2.35 Raworth, Miss Raworth
2.40 Merrill, Boniface, Prytherch
2.45 Farnsworth, Dunn, Fullam, Misota
2.50 Martin Little, Wood, Newman
2.55 Hawkings, Alexander/Sheridans
3.05 Ham, Jeffs/Piereys
3.15 Laffond, Wentworths
3.20 King, Bichard, Rigden, Perry
3.25 Bowdens, Cobb, Partner
3.30 Andrews, & Co.XKeswicks, Smith
3.40 Riggs, Gordon
3.45 Forbes, Stewart, & Co.
3.50 Ellis Hayim, Glassford, Wilsons
3.55 Reynell, Robson, Mann

Sunday

8.04 Ellis Hayim, Arnhold
8.32 Andrews, Watts/Reynell, Gordon
9.04 Riggs, Sherwin/Robinson, West
9.12 Ward Smith, Pettitt
9.16 Cheetham, Kyle/Hawkings, Pharis
9.28 Laffond, Murray Kidd
9.32 Captain's Time/Powell, Kearton
9.44 King, Tolmie
9.48 Campbell, Mrs. Burton
10.04 Collett, MacEwan
10.16 Harrisons

Starting-times not listed above are reserved for personal bookings at the Clubhouse on the day.

Members who do not require the Starting-times allotted to them must inform the Secretary as soon as possible—or on the day, the Gear Boy—so that these times may be left free for other players.

Salica Regains World Bantamweight Title

New York, Sept. 26.

Lou Salica gained a decision on points over George Pace in a 15-round bout here last night and recaptured the world bantamweight championship.

Salica weighed 117½ pounds, while Pace, who originally won the title from Salica, tipped the scales at 118.—United Press.

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Capablanca Seeks Tilt For Chess Title

Dr. Alekhine Last Heard of Before Fall of Paris

New York City, N.Y., Sept. 26.

Jose R. Capablanca, of Cuba, who held the chess championship of the world for seven years, has arrived in New York anxious for another championship match for the title with Dr. Alexander Alekhine. However, since the fall of France to the Germans, Dr. Alekhine's whereabouts are unknown over here, the last th was heard of him being shortly before the fall of Paris, when efforts by him to arrange a chess exhibition under the National Chess Centre in London came to naught.

Dr. Alekhine had become a French citizen as a Russian expatriate following the accession to power of the Soviets. Until a few years ago he was a welcome visitor to German chess circles, having defeated E. D. Bogoljubow, another Russian expatriate.

Capablanca, who is to remain in New York for some time, is hopeful that it may be possible to arrange a match with Dr. Alekhine at some future date, provided the latter is available and amenable to the idea.—Renter.

Week-end Teeing Off Times at Seekingjao

SATURDAY

1.12 Remsden, Davis/Vice President
1.24 Brisk, Denbigh/Huggett, Schinazi
1.32 Ross, Shaw/Grubb, Wall
1.44 Captain/King, Berger
1.52 McCants, Underwood (4 Ball)
1.56 Jenkins, Davis (4 Ball)
2.04 President/Fer, King (4 Ball)
2.12 Chalmers, Drysdale
2.16 Cumming, Ovadia (3 Ball)
2.24 Isherwood, DeJong
2.28 Carpenter, Keating (4 Ball)
2.32 Jourdin, Brooks (4 Ball)
2.36 Cameron, Smith (4 Ball)
2.44 Brooke, Breen (4 Ball)
2.48 Bates, Twogood (4 Ball)
2.52 Ballingall, Miss Ballingall
2.56 Kelly, Easley (4 Ball)
3.04 Vajda, Kelen
3.08 Pedersen, Poulsen (3 Ball)

Sunday

8.24 Vajda, Kelen
8.30 To 9.55 Tee Reserved for Gaines Cup 1940.
8.30 F. Marshall, T. A. Cooper v. A. J. Clark, A. Pratt
8.35 L. R. Schinazi, J. S. King v. A. B. Davis, L. Saphiere
8.40 R. D. Bell, A. L. Piper v. S. J. H. Fox, P. H. Scoones
8.45 C. A. King, C. M. Wentworth v. J. H. Underwood, D. A. MacFarlane
8.50 A. Henderson, T. S. M. Terrace v. J. K. Ewing, S. C. Smith
8.55 R. T. Dwyer, L. D. Carson v. J. M. Avent, R. E. Rodger
9.00 J. Stevenson, W. H. C. Huggett v. E. A. Meyerink, F. P. Ferrell
9.05 J. C. Dickson, B. J. Wall v. D. C. Berger, C. A. Cooper
9.10 A. Germ, B. S. Jenkins v. A. J. Evans, W. J. Brown
9.15 F. R. Barry, F. S. Gavin v. B. C. Allan, P. G. A. Cantopher
9.20 T. D. Drysdale, D. R. Glass v. H. H. Cameron, B. W. Smith
9.25 J. A. Grubb, H. Grubb v. F. R. Engdahl, G. D. LaMont
9.30 K. M. Cumming, M. M. Bates v. W. W. Jourdin, T. Otorii
9.35 S. F. Jensen, W. N. Gray v. R. A. Jones, T. S. Parry
9.40 S. Mizota, R. M. Ballingall v. F. De Jong, P. Isherwood
9.45 N. E. Lurton, K. E. Graham v. E. Jacobs, F. Cowherd
9.50 H. W. Snow, S. C. Brisk v. L. A. McCants, O. F. Brooks
9.55 W. M. Chalmers, I. L. G. Wheeler v. W. R. McCutcheon, W. H. B. Rigg
10.04 President/Carpenter, Keating
10.12 Smith, Rosse/Rigden, Gibbings
10.24 Ross, Denbigh/Openshaw, Parkhill
10.32 Vice President/Jeffery, Maughan
10.44 Mrs. Wentworth, Miss Ross
11.04 Ponisen, Christensen

Important

Renewal of Motor Car Licences are due on September 30th. Members desiring renewal should send in their small brown licence cards without delay. These cards may be handed to the Secretary at the Club House or sent to the Secretary's Office.

New Motorboat Record Established

St. Michaels, Sept. 26.

George B. Ward, Jr., of Wilmington, Delaware, drove his Class E runabout motorboat Hi-Ho II to a new world record of 57.60 m.p.h. here, when he covered a measured mile course in one minute 2½ seconds.

It was the second time this season that Ward had broken the world record for this class of motorboat. In 1936 he drove the same craft to a world record of 55.396 m.p.h. and in July he raised it to 56.962 m.p.h. at Havre de Grace, Maryland.—Reuter.

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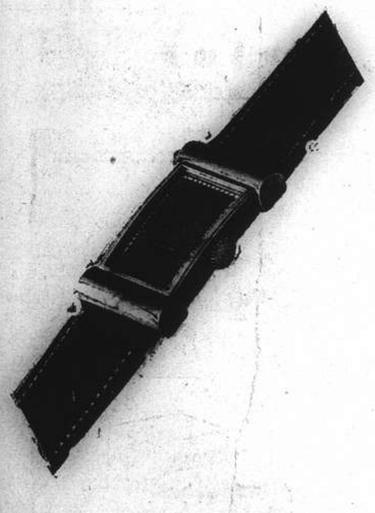

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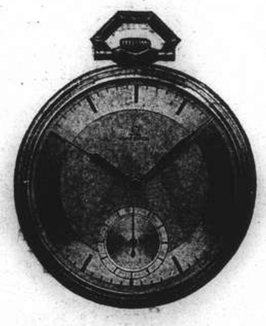

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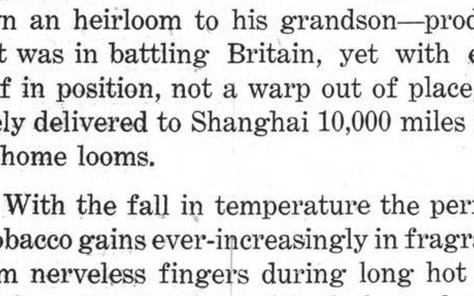
In order that new suits, new hats and new boots may mellow into those old friends which are so much better than new ones it is necessary that they be carefully chosen. Only the best of "men's wear" can achieve that elegance in old age, those wrinkles which lend interest instead of disfigurement, and can keep that indefinable something which will give distinction to and cause two looks at the mahfoo who, in the neighbourhood of the Race Club stables, will be sporting the creations some quarter of a century hence.

The time comes to most men of goodwill when duty to the community compels them to seek "men's wear" establishments and the tabernacles of tailors. To him whose day has come this autumn the point of view may be presented that the suitings from which he will make his choice will not only clothe him to ravishment but that his suit may be handed down an heirloom to his grandson—produced as it was in battling Britain, yet with every woof in position, not a warp out of place, and safely delivered to Shanghai 10,000 miles from the home looms.

With the fall in temperature the perfume of tobacco gains ever-increasingly in fragrance. From nerveless fingers during long hot days the cigarettes-for-the-multitude have dropped one after the other to pit the parquet or set the waste paper basket on fire. But with the squared shoulders of autumn comes the strength to settle something far superior into the firm jaw or press a really fine weed into the pipe bowl. In consequence great brains begin to function smoothly, problems are ironed out, the atmosphere generally is infinitely clearer. It's one good thing after another, in fact.



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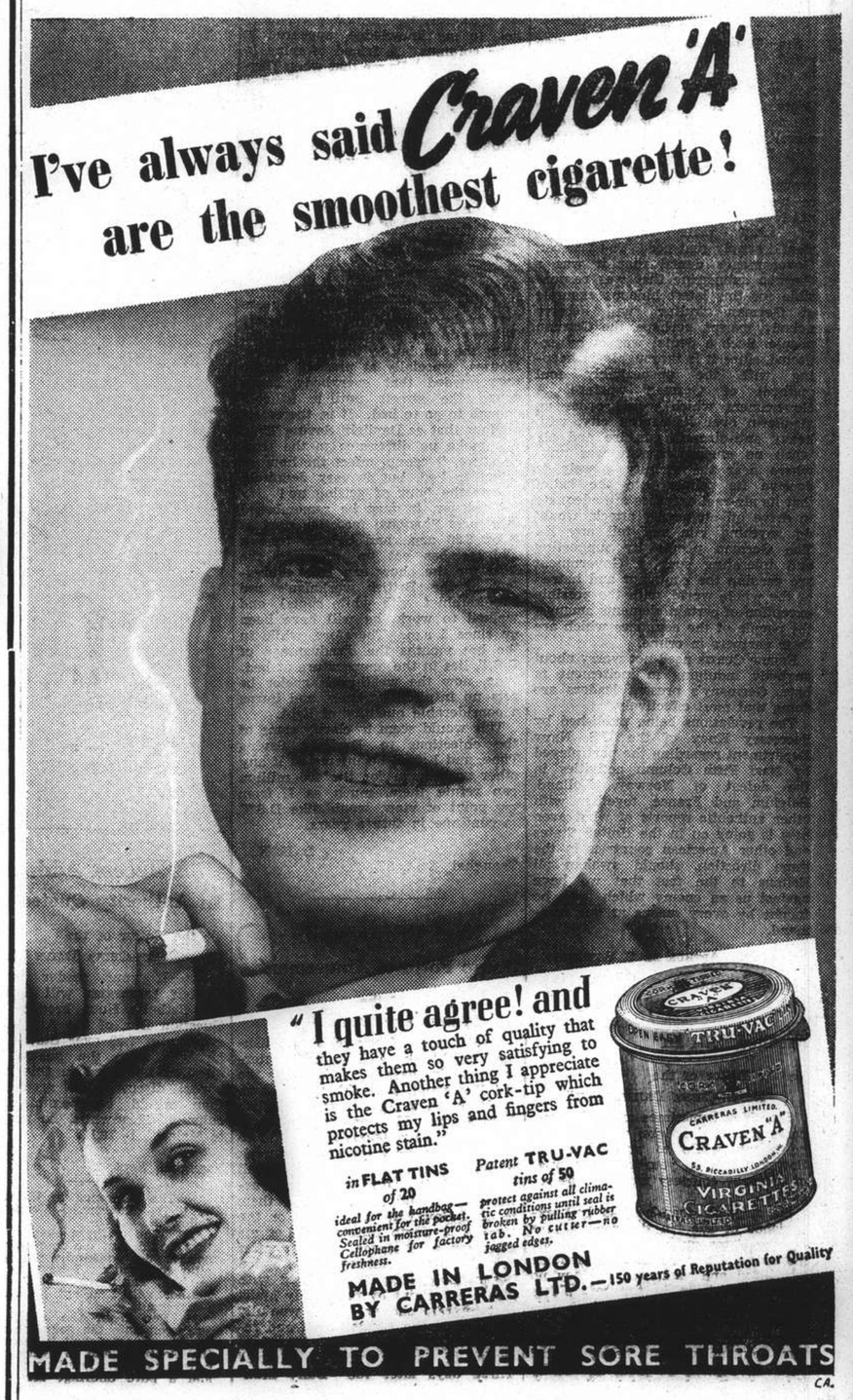

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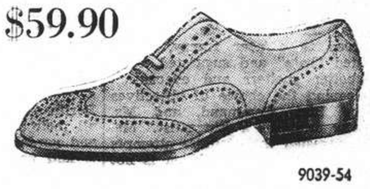

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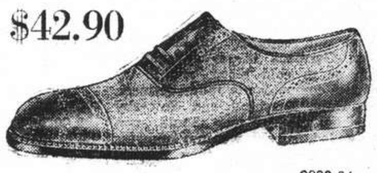

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British War Methods: And German Foulness

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—If anything is needed to give point to my remarks in my recent letters to your newspaper in connection with your original leaderette of September 10, entitled "Take the Gloves Off," the latest German atrocity of torpedoing an evacuee ship 600 miles from land in a high sea, which caused the death by drowning or exposure of 85 children as well as many of their mothers, not to mention a considerable number of adult male non-combatants, should supply that need. The German Government's denial that it was a German submarine that was responsible for this latest hideous example of German "kultur" will deceive nobody, except, perhaps, the German people. Such a denial was to be expected, since it is thoroughly in keeping with the unspeakably foul methods of German warfare. A Government which would order an air-alarm over its capital city, with heavy anti-aircraft gun-fire and all, when no enemy aircraft was anywhere near the vicinity, merely to deceive its people into the belief that its air-raid defences are adequate to drive off an enemy attack, would do anything vile and tell any lie. The German people by supporting and tolerating such a Government are earning the contempt and hatred of the whole world, with the possible exception of certain elements amongst the people of the countries which are their partners in crime.

BISHOP CURTIS need not worry about anybody indulging in incitement to hate. Germany's present leaders are doing that most effectively.

The revelations being published by Secretary Knox of the U.S. Navy Department regarding the part played by Nazi Fifth Column activities in the defeat of Norway, Holland, Belgium and France, together with other authentic reports of what even now is going on in the United States and other American countries in the same direction, should awaken all Britons to the fact that we have against us an enemy which must be fought by every means at our command.

ARTHUR DE C. SOWERBY.

Shanghai, Sept. 24

Assailed "All In"

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—You sometimes annotate your correspondents' letters; would it not be worth while to suggest to MR SOWERBY that in your columns rules of ordinary courtesy must be observed?

He suggests that he has had experience of life "in the raw" where his associates quarrel under "all in" methods and that other correspondents "nurtured and pampered as they no doubt have been in the soft places of civilization" have not had this experience.

Even so, surely we may express our opinions without being treated to a description of them as "sticky rot so loudly advocated by the pacifists and near pacifists"? The shrieks in the correspondence do not come from "MR. SILCOCK, BISHOP CURTIS, MR. REES and that ilk."

MR. SILCOCK quoted a couple of well-known authorities to the effect that indiscriminate retaliatory bombing is ineffective. MR. SOWERBY disagreed in a near frenzy. I deprecated "hate" and suggested more and better shelters and evacuation and leaving the choice of objectives to the High Command, and MR. SOWERBY dubs me a "retreatist." MR. REES suggested that definite attempts to bomb women and children is not the British way, and MR. SOWERBY lumps us and our opinions together in the sentences I have quoted.

Let MR. SOWERBY hold his own opinions and try to convince us and others by reasoned argument.

If we don't approve of killing 30 million Germans in an advance to Berlin or in cold blood, and if we don't feel competent to judge between Foch, Haig, Pershing and Sowerby about how the last war should have been ended, surely we may express our opinions, such as they are, in your correspondence columns without being assailed by "all in" methods on the part of those who know "life in the raw"?

JOHN CURTIS

PS. This is my "other cheek" and I have finished with this correspondence.

Hangchow, Sept. 25

***This correspondence is now closed.—ED.

Daylight Saving: What do the Majority Want?

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—I have noted with extreme interest the letters appearing in your columns regarding Daylight Saving Time. It seems incredible to me that nearly all your correspondents tackle the matter quite airily from a completely foreign viewpoint, regardless of the fact that this is China. They are apparently under the impression that this country's 400 millions are made up entirely of office clerks who assemble at offices at 9 a.m., and burst out in a frenzy of ahtletics from 4.30 until dusk. Your correspondent ANTI-D.S.T. is the exception in that he does at least realize that this is a working-class city, and the struggle for existence starts before dawn.

Now, I am pro-D.S.T. I am a member of Hungjao Golf Club, and a club where tennis is played. I have never enjoyed a summer so much in Shanghai. I was one of the first to back up MR. HIND's original letter advocating D.S.T., and nobody would like it to continue next year more than myself. However, one must look at it from a businesslike point of view, and accept the wishes of the majority. Apart from numerous Chinese firms which have either stayed on, or gone back to, Customs Time, it seems that proof of the unpopularity of D.S.T. among the Chinese working-man is furnished by the fact that after repeated requests from their Chinese employees, who number some 7,000, the factories of one of the largest British firms in Shanghai have returned to Customs Time since September 1.

This may not in itself be sensational, but the reasons given are at least interesting, and have certainly not, to my knowledge, appeared in your columns. A friend of mine in this company tells me that when Daylight Saving Time was introduced a deputation of employees came and registered a protest. This was suspected of being the usual Chinese dislike of anything new, and was dismissed as such, especially when the spokesman stated that the main objection the employees had was that they lost one hour's sleep. The obvious answer which occurs to the foreign mind was given, namely, that one naturally goes to bed an hour earlier at night to make up for it. Then came the surprising answer that this was impossible. It appears that in the summer the working-class Chinese do not go to bed by the clock, or by the sun, but by the temperature. Houses, especially at present, are so overcrowded that everybody hangs round the streets until it is cool enough to go to bed. It is, therefore, obvious that as Daylight Saving Time can make no difference to the temperature, it cannot affect the hour of going to bed, but it very definitely affects the hour of getting up!

Moreover, it must be remembered that most Shanghai factories start at 6 or 6.30 a.m., and by the time a Chinese has got up, prepared the food for the chow can (the equivalent of the British workman's red handkerchief with white spots), and walked to work, he will have been up since 5 a.m. Therefore, while in the hot months the disadvantage of D.S.T. lies in the temperature at bedtime, now the weather is cooler he gets up in pitch darkness and burns a considerable quantity of light.

This would seem to clarify some of the objections to Daylight Saving Time, and I shall be interested if any other spokesman for the 400 million can refute them, much as I, from my point of view, would like D.S.T. to continue in future years.

L. U. X.

Shanghai, Sept. 25.

Nazi Propaganda: Cheap Form of Amusement

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—If any of my fellow-Englishmen would like a little light entertainment in these grim times for the old Homeland, I would advise them to listen in to the news in English from Berlin. This, on the word of a man who has religiously tuned in to Berlin thrice daily since the outbreak of hostilities, and whose friends tell him that it is a form of sadism. Particularly, would I recommend them to Lord Haw Haw when he is on the air—he is worth following. Let me give you an instance. Shortly after the intensive bombings of London began, Lord Haw Haw quoted with glee a complaint by the "Daily Mail" that air-raid shelters were woefully deficient in the London area and referred to the paper as "this important organ of British public opinion." Three days later the "Daily Mail" tore into the Germans for the indiscriminate machine-gunning of a small village in south-east England. Lord Haw Haw, quoting this item, referred to the "Daily Mail" as "this pornographic Jewish filth." I do love his restraint—and his capacity for eating his bun and still having it. This very evening Berlin reported what would seem to have been the biggest air raid yet on the city as being a raid upon innocent civilians. Harrowing details were given of poor Berlin workmen who had saved up all their lives to build a little house and garden of their own and seeing it laid flat, along with many farmhouses in the vicinity. The picture of a Germany denuded of all farmhouses and workmen's dwellings while her vast armament industry carries on at full blast undisturbed and unseen by the inefficient R.A.F. would be pathetic, if true. The apologists for the delayed-action invasion of Britain are equally entertaining but still thunder forth that Britain's hour of reckoning is ever and always round the corner—just out of sight. I could quote many more items but time and space do not permit. The "English as she is spoke," entertains, too. At the end of the news one is invariably informed "And this, ladies and gentlemen, was our news in English." I advise one and all to try it. Its cheaper than stepping out, believe me. And now, I lean back for the last news from Berlin—and so to bed with a good heart.

BRITON.

Shanghai, Sept. 25.

Shanghai Memories: Old Local Post Cards

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—In reply to the advertisment appearing in your issue from the B.R.A. War Effort for postage stamps. I am offering the two enclosed old local postcards, which I send to you for perusal and return.

You will observe that the p. c. "issued to subscribers only" has been surcharged "one cent", which makes it more valuable to a collector of old Shanghai memories. The note on the back of the card is also very interesting.

Note for sender:—Turn down Corner of Card if answer is wanted.
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The card I purchased at the local post office in 1897 and addressed it to myself at the Central Hotel which was at the corner of Nanking Road and Bund (now the Palace Hotel). It was out of issue as a "subscriber's card" in 1890.

The other card was issued by the Shanghai Municipality in 1897.

The Post Office closed down in April 1897.

I hear that the committee intend to put the two cards up for auction and there may be readers of your publication in the outports who might like to have an opportunity to make a bid for them.

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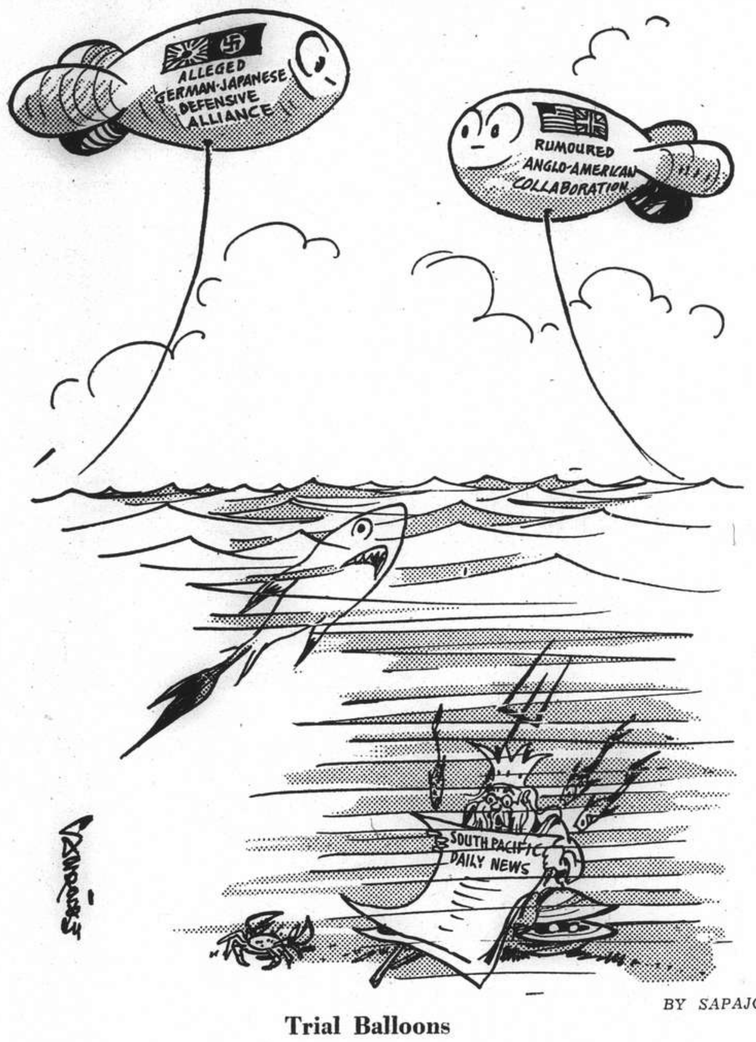
PHILIP N. F. HEATH

Shanghai, Sept. 26



BY SAPAJOU

Trial Balloons

A Recent Address: An Authority Quoted

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—If your reader who signs himself INTERESTED will listen in to the Catholic Hour broadcast of the Question Box of the Air on Sunday evening at 7.30 over Station XMHA, he will hear the answer to the question he asked in this morning's paper, discussed at greater length than would be possible in these columns. Meanwhile, he might refer to Malachi, I- 10,11.

J.K.L.

Shanghai, Sept. 25

***The reference to Malachi, ch.1, v. 10-11 (Authorized Version) is as follows:

"10. Who *is there* even among you that would shut the doors *for nought?* neither do ye kindle *fire* on mine altar for nought. I have no pleasure in you, saith the LORD of hosts, neither will I accept an offering at your hand.

11. For from the rising of the sun even unto the going down of the same my name *shall be* great among the Gentiles; and in every place incense *shall be* offered unto my name, and a pure offering: for my name *shall be* great among the heathen, saith the LORD of hosts."—ED.

***Several letters have been held over owing to pressure on space.

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6.30-6.35 Chinese music
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U.S. Pilots Going to Train N.E.I. Airmen

New York, Sept. 26.

Eight officers of the United States Navy will leave for the Netherlands East Indies in the near future in order to train Dutch pilots, the New York "Herald Tribune" reported Tuesday. The paper added that the pilots are going to the East Indies at the invitation of the N. E. I. Government.—Domei.

Seventy Years Ago

FROM THE "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS" OF SEPTEMBER 27, 1870

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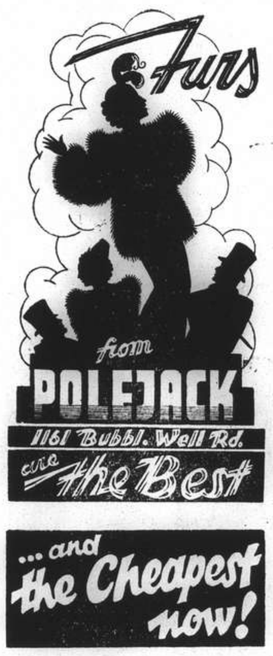

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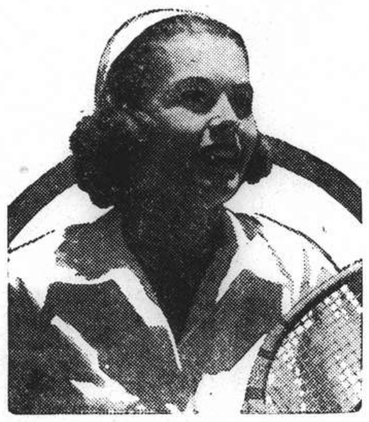

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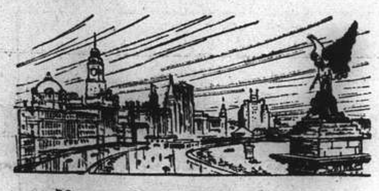

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BLITZKRIEG FAILS

The figures reproduced elsewhere of the comparative losses in the air of Britain and Germany up to September 16 are indication enough that the Nazi *blitzkrieg* has failed. That is, of course, no proof that another *blitzkrieg* will not be attempted; on the contrary, it is highly probable that Field Marshal Goering will endeavour to benefit from the lessons his air force has been taught over Britain, and that a second attempt will be made. What he has learned up to now is that his hopes of smashing the Royal Air Force and making it comparatively innocuous during an invasion cannot be realised. The R.A.F. has proved that it can give as good as it gets—and a little bit more into the bargain. According to unimpeachable sources, the British destroyed 3,021 German planes during the period between the declaration of war and August 6, this year. Some of these were fighters and some bombers, but taking an average of three airmen per plane—which is surely legitimate—the loss to the Nazis in air personnel may be taken to be about 9,000 men. From August 8 to September 16, the British shot down 1,799 Nazi planes for certain; 622 planes were destroyed, without positive confirmation; and 785 planes were seriously damaged. It is estimated that the German air force in this period suffered a loss of about 6,000 airmen, killed or captured.

It should be emphasized that these figures are conservative. There is no guesswork about the totals of those planes known to be shot down, and very little doubt about the claims of those believed to have been destroyed but whose loss is not officially confirmed. They prove to be a striking contrast to the losses in the R.A.F. During the period between August 8 and September 16, the R.A.F. lost 638 planes, from which 292 airmen escaped safely. This figure includes the planes which were shot down during raids over Germany and during patrols of the North Sea and other areas, and therefore, on the basis of information received in Shanghai, it is not possible to make an estimate of the number of airmen who have been killed. Some of the planes shot down were bombers, with crews varying from four to seven, but on the whole the British bomber losses have been amazingly small. The majority of the planes included in the 638 lost are single or double-seater fighters. Be that as it may, it will be seen that the German losses in planes during the *blitzkrieg* period were about four planes to one British; while in personnel, during the same period, the losses were approximately fifteen to one. In spite of this tremendous sacrifice, the Nazis achieved virtually nothing. The R.A.F. is now relatively stronger than it was at the beginning of August. Britain's war potential has hardly been touched. And Hitler's pet schemes for invasion have for the moment been brought to nought.

It is only now, with the war in a temporarily static condition, with each side hitting through its air force at the other, that a proper estimate of the prospects of the future can be made. Looking back, there can be little doubt that the Nazi venture into Norway was a mistake after all. It was successful up to a point, but resulted in the loss of nearly half the German navy, with little to show for it. The occupation of Norway is employing a large number of German troops, and little is being got out of the country. A warning of "fifth column" tactics was given to the world. At the same time the largest part of the Norwegian mercantile marine has been put at the disposal of Britain. The same applies to Denmark and Holland. If the Nazis had struck at Britain immediately after the capitulation of the Netherlands army, they would have stood a good chance of dealing the Empire a severe blow. At that time the cream of the British army, some 350,000 troops, were on the Continent and in no position to assist in the defence of their country. Belgium was known to be on the point of surrender, while the Nazi "fifth column" had sadly undermined France. A swift attack on Britain at that moment might have done an incredible amount of damage.

But the Nazis chose the easier course. They turned on France. After the break through in the Ardennes, they may not have believed it possible that the Allied armies which were cut off could escape. And it was only due to the wonderful work of the R.A.F. and British and French navies, that the withdrawal from Dunkirk was successful. Nevertheless, it would seem that the German High Command made another serious error in not turning their attention immediately to the British Isles. France could wait. French *moral* was uncertain; French resistance was being sapped from the top. Once Britain had been given a mortal blow, the collapse of France was assured. The opportunity was lost. Britain today is stronger than at any moment since the Dunkirk episode. Invasion which might have been successful then, could only be undertaken now "with appalling losses," according to the statement of a neutral. And all the while the balance is swinging steadily in favour of the last champion of the Democracies.

THE RIOM TRIALS

With the transference of M. Daladier to Riom, another French leader has been added to those already there awaiting their trial on charges of having plunged France into the war unfitted for the struggle. That and a number of other charges have already been preferred against various former French leaders. It is expected that these trials will last for weeks, and are designed for two purposes, the first, to provide the Petain Government with a number of scapegoats, and the second, to please, if that is at all possible, their German and Italian conquerors. There is probably a third motive for them, and that is to provide a means of obtaining revenge on former political opponents. It is not a pleasing spectacle that the Vichy Government is apparently preparing for the delectation of the world, for it must be quite apparent that what they are in fact endeavouring to do is to cloak their own defection by seeking to place the blame for France's defeat upon those, who were, even when badly stricken, anxious to continue to the bitter end.

Laval, never a very trustworthy politician, saw in the defeat of the French army an opportunity to rise to power, and he succeeded in serving his own personnel ends by sabotaging what further resistance the French forces, properly and efficiently led, might have been able to offer. Doubtless he seeks to please his German masters by putting the former leaders up for trial on a charge of having started the war, for this would serve in the eyes of some,—but certainly not the major portion of world opinion,—to corroborate Hitler's parrot-like reiterations that he did not start the war, and in fact did not desire it. But it is all a stunt, a piece of theatrical stage-dressing calculated to divert the attention of many French people from the fact that the real betrayers of France are the people who are so enthusiastic about bringing these former leaders to trial. Thus while the antics at Riom may help to please Germany and Italy, it will not serve to convince even them.

What sort of trial these unfortunate men will receive remains to be seen. The Supreme Court is presided over by an honourable magistrate, but some of his assistants may not prove to be as impartial as they should. There is M. Rippert, a pro-Fascist professor, and M. Watteau noted for his close connection with General Duseigneur, a Cagoulard, member of that body which formed the terrorist organization of the Fascist International. It is unlikely that their decisions will be any different from those naturally to be expected from men of their political outlook. Indeed the result of the trials appears to be a foregone conclusion. As far back as the middle of August the Vichy papers were freely prophesying that M. Mandel would be sentenced to death, and that many of the other accused would receive years of imprisonment. What newspapers write prior to the commencement of a trial may or may not mean much, but as the Vichy Government is clearly out for scapegoats, and such they must have, it does on this occasion acquire an added significance.

The case of M. Daladier is indeed a sad one. He will have arrayed against him, probably as chief witness, M. Bonnet, described by one observer as taking a "voluptuous pleasure" in treachery. To him M. Daladier stuck through thick and thin, refusing all importunities to get rid of him, even though he knew of his and his wife's close connection with Abetz and other German spies as well as agents from other organizations friendly to Germany. M. Bonnet, if M. Daladier had been more amenable to sound advice, would probably have been in the dock. Now he will most likely be in the witness box, testifying against both M. Daladier and M. Mandel revealing Cabinet secret after secret to prove the "crimes against France," which have been charged against these men. The whole set-up is so similar to the various Nazi trials to which Germany has treated the world, that it will be watched with the utmost scepticism as to its bona fides. To the enemy it will doubtless provide a cheering spectacle of France's lack of national solidarity in the trying time through which she is passing.

Spain on the Verge?

While nothing has as yet been divulged concerning the visit of Senor Suner to Berlin, it is claimed in more than one quarter that Spain will shortly enter the war on the side of the Axis, and indeed one Italian newspaper already welcomes its entrance. Undoubtedly great pressure is being brought to bear upon General Franco to show his gratitude to the Axis Powers for the assistance they gave him during the Civil War by coming into the present struggle on their side, though, if they are really being so successful as they claim to be, it is difficult to see why the assistance of a country already suffering grievously should be so urgently required. Spain's entry into the war would mean the application of the blockade to her, and the prevention of the importation of cereals from America in which she stands in such urgent need, and which Great Britain not only undertook not to hinder, but even to guarantee financially the continuation. It does not appear in all the circumstances that Spain can render much effective military assistance to the enemy, though it might contribute by permitting the passage of German troops through its territory for the purpose of attacking Gibraltar in which she might even help. But the price exacted will be fearful in terms of lives eventually lost because of the blockade. To plunge the country into a war which will not be of short duration, but even as Hitler now believes may run into years, would be to do Spain the greatest possible disservice. That Germany would dearly like a passage through Spain in order to participate in the North African struggle is only too clear, but directly Spain abandons her present non-belligerency she must expect to bear the full brunt of warfare. She is in no condition to do so. Her immediate need is years of peace during which to build up her shattered fortunes. In addition she really needs an Allied victory, for otherwise she will be as firmly bound to Hitler's chariot wheels as is Italy, and her prospect of complete independence depends upon defeat of the present enemy. In other words she does not stand to gain much but runs enormous risks of losing a great deal.

Legitimate "Hitch-hiking"

Now that public transportation services are completely tied-up, with the exception of hire cars, by reason of the strikes of the tram and bus companies of the International Settlement and the French Concession, motorists have an opportunity of assisting their less fortunate co-residents of Shanghai by generously offering a "lift," either to friends who are due at the office at 8.30 a.m., or by stopping en route to the Bund to pick up pedestrians in a similar fix. "Hitch-hiking" in America has degenerated into a practice which often involves personal danger to the generous motorist—at times armed men prey on them, sometimes pedestrians take advantage of their willingness to assist, and police annals record white slavers, violating the Mann Act, bringing unwitting "friends" to the attention of the law, for having transported them and their prey. Such a situation does not exist here. Would that all who are affected by the strikes could be as fortunate as one American who, crossing town yesterday, was picked-up by a friend and driven to Bubbling Well Road. Later another friend carried him as far as the Bund. Several thousand motorists proceed daily to the Central District, sitting alone in their vehicles with sometimes room for three or four passengers. It would be a matter of courtesy to offer a "lift" especially when thumbs are extended in the direction of their travel, and particularly so during the rush hours when not a single hire car is available. It is essential in times like these that the whole community should work together as a unit. In the past it has been customary for motorcar owners to extend the use of vacant seats in their vehicles for those not so well placed, who are dependent upon public conveyances, and when the large number of cars which come from the western district to Central, and return after office hours, is considered, it is apparent that very considerable assistance can be given to those who would otherwise find some difficulty in getting to their offices on time and getting home again. In any event it would be a gracious act on the part of owners, who need not go out of their way, but merely take pedestrians nearer their destinations.

EPIDEMICS IN ENGLAND

American Scientists to Do Research

The news that the American Red Cross and Harvard are trying to raise $100,000 to establish and maintain what is in effect a research hospital in England for the study of communicable diseases in war is of first-rate scientific importance, states the New York "Times." Nearly every war has been followed by epidemics. The influenza pandemic of 1918 accounted for more lives than did shrapnel and bullets on the battlefield. This war is bound to take its toll if for no other reason than that Great Britain, which Harvard's medical scientists have selected for their studies, is one of the most densely populated industrial countries in the world.

Professor Conant of Harvard conceived the idea of the research hospital in September, 1939, when the Germans made it clear that they intended to seize what territory they could. In deciding on communicable diseases as the subject of study he was guided both by public health experts and the wishes of the British Ministry of Health.

Dr. John Everett Gordon. Harvard's professor of preventive medicine and epidemiology, is to head the mission. Behind him lie years of experience as an organizer and administrator of Detroit's hospitals for infectious diseases and three years spent in the Balkans studying communicable diseases. Harvard would like to see enough money collected to conduct its researches on a larger scale than that now planned, and lengthen the period of service to include the war's aftermath.

The primary purpose of the mission is to study communicable diseases in wartime from several angles. First there will be a corps of field investigators who will go out among the people and discover how epidemics and communicable diseases get their start. A second task will be the organization of a laboratory to study the facts and cases unearthed by the field workers and revealed in the hospital itself. Lastly, there is the purely hospital work of caring for patients—work which will give to Dr. Gordon's staff rich clinical opportunities to supplement the efforts of field corps and laboratory technicians.

Time presses in this matter of carrying out the plan. The real need for study will begin in the late Autumn both for Great Britain and the United States—for Great Britain because the incidence of disease is higher in the bad than in the pleasant season of the year, and for the the United States because she is about to muster the largest peacetime standing army in our history.

Experiment of Mutual Interest

The English experiment means as much to the United States as it does to London or the Midlands. Even if the war were to end tomorrow his enterprise is necessary. Sir John Orr's sensational revelations of British undernourishment of a few years ago should not be forgotten. If England was underfed and therefore unhealthy in peace what will be its condition after it has been rationed and bombed for weeks and perhaps months?

The American Army will be composed of farmers, cowpunchers, teachers, factory workers, clerks and labourers. The evidence is strong that the farmers and cowpunchers and the men who have worked in the open all their lives are more likely to be laid low in barracks than pale but otherwise fit and more immune industrial workers from the towns.

Dr. Gordon's hospital will face entirely new problems. In the first place there is the problem presented by air shelters. When thousands flee to underground and other shelters, there to cower and huddle for hours, the conditions are ideal for the spread of infectious diseases.

In the second place, there is the psychological effect of bombs on a terrified population. No one knows the relation of that effect to the incidence of disease in a compact mass of potential victims of tuberculosis, influenza, dysentery and other afflictions. Moreover, there is the psychological effect of a changed environment. Literally thousands have been shifted about in Great Britain.

Still a third problem is presented by children. They are packed off to the country by the trainload, and even sent overseas to Canada and the United States. What measures should be taken to protect them?

But the most important problem of all is the fourth—that presented by epidemics. How the last pandemic of influenza originated is not wholly clear. It is known merely that all Europe had been starving for years, that its resistance was low. But this is the picture only in the large. Just where did the pandemic start? And how did it spread?

With houses blown to splinters, sewers and water supplies disrupted, sanitary equipment of homes and hospitals blown up, Great Britain will be fortunate if an epidemic does not stalk through the land. Even if it is so fortunate, the conditions are ripe for one to start. And it is precisely these conditions that Dr. Gordon and his staff will study.

IN PARENTHESIS

Perpetual

"EVERYWHERE I go I'm asked to call again."
"Popular, eh?"
"No, debt collector."

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Upstairs

"How are you gettin' on at your job. Tam?"
"Fine; I've got ten men under me noo."
"Get away."
"Aye—I work upstairs."

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Frederick the Great

"MY wife flatters me in the cold weather," said Fred.
"How's that?"
"Why, whenever the fire burns low she points to the fireplace and says, 'Frederick, the grate.'"

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Something Adults Can't Do

"UNCLE," said Tommy, "I can do something that you cannot."
"What's that," inquired uncle, wondering what it could be.
"Grow!" retorted the youngster.

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That Old One

"I UNDERSTAND Bill studied mechanical engineering. What's he doing now?"
"He is working on the railroad."
"That so? What doing?"
"Well, you know the man who goes round the cars and taps all wheels to make sure everything is all right?"
"Yes."
"Well, Bill helps that man listen."

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Party Conversation

"MY husband says from now on we should have nothing more to do with foreigners."
"It seems they're not having anything more to do with us."
"One of the secrets of German Fifth Column victories is their realism. They know that in every country there are high-ups who are loyal to nothing but their own interests and privileges."
"The only really patriotic people are the poor. They give the most and get the least in return."
"That's absolute nonsense, darling. Pamela's aunt has given up two of her cars and has shopped on foot twice in a week."
"Brenda's gone mad about fishheads now. She says the most nourishing parts of fishes are the heads, and that's why cats like them."
"Cats always know their onions."
"My husband says the German Fifth Columnists have exploited all the human weaknesses which are found mainly in the pampered classes—fear, greed, vanity, envy."
"There are lots of rich men in the world who would sell their country to save their bank account."
"But, darling, if they sold their country to Hitler they wouldn't have a bank account for long"
"Most of them are too stupid to realize that Hitler is out to destroy everything, capitalism included."
—Nathanial Gubbins in the "Sunday Express."

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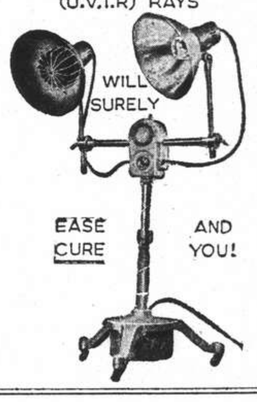

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Japanese Expect Washington to Recall Mr. Joseph C. Grew

Firmer U.S. Attitude Seen After Indo-China Events; Mr. Hull Hears Nothing of Envoy's Withdrawal

Tokyo, Sept. 26.

THE United States is on the verge of a historic decision on her Far Eastern policy which may include the recall of the American Ambassador to Japan, Mr. Joseph C. Grew, the "Miyako Shimbun" reported from Washington today.

The newspaper said that President Roosevelt and the American Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, were re-examining America's Far Eastern policy in view of Japan's destruction of the status quo in Indo-China.

The report indicated that Japanese press circles in Washington anticipate a firmer American policy in the Far East rather than any American decision to withdraw from the Orient.

Meanwhile, the series of articles on the Far East being written in New York by Mr. Roy Howard, head of the Scripps-Howard newspapers, drew widespread attention in the Japanese press.

"Check on Southward Advance"

A columnist in the "Asahi Shimbun" said that Mr. Howard was advocating "putting a check on Japan's southward advance." He recalled that Mr. Howard asserted that a conciliatory American policy toward Japan would only be interpreted in Tokyo as a sign of weakness.

The "Yomiuri Shimbun," however, regarded Mr. Howard's articles as being not critical of Japan, but "a request to the Roosevelt Administration for a reconsideration of America's Far Eastern policy."

The "Yomiuri" said President Roosevelt was responsible for the "aggravated situation" in the Pacific.

The "Yomiuri" added that the United States appeared to be concerned over the fate of rubber and tin supplies in the Netherlands East Indies.

"However," the paper said, "America's anxiety is not necessary—because Japan does not intend to establish a monopoly on the resources of the Far East. This is in contrast with the policy of the United States, which has been placing embargoes on her over-abundant resources in an effort to obstruct other nation's justified policies."—United Press.

Mr. Hull's Comment

Washington, Sept. 26.

The Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, told the press yesterday that he had "not heard" that the American Ambassador to Japan, Mr. Joseph Grew, was being recalled from Tokyo.

Mr. Hull had been asked to comment on reports circulated in Washington to the effect that Mr. Grew was being recalled from Tokyo as an aftermath of the Japanese invasion of French Indo-China.

Mr. Hull firmly declined to comment on the situation in French Indo-China after condemning the Japanese invasion of the French colony on the previous day.—United Press.

Japan, German Pact Possible

London Quarters See Axis Moves in Far Eastern Sphere

London, Sept. 26.

Washington reports that a German-Japanese defensive alliance had been agreed upon in principle in Tokyo this week aroused considerable interest in London yesterday, although British officials declined to offer official comment.

British officials emphasized, however, that their reticence to comment "does not necessarily suggest that the reports may not be true."

According to one version of the reports circulated here, arrangements have been made, or are being made, between Tokyo and Berlin for Japan to keep the United States Fleet "immobilized" in the Pacific. In return for this, it was said, Germany will supply Japan with war materials and use her influence with Russia to see that the war materials are delivered via the Trans-Siberian Railway.

Reports from Washington yesterday said that Japan and Germany had agreed in principle on a defensive alliance to counteract an anticipated Anglo-American front in the Pacific and Atlantic.

The purpose behind the alliance, which was said to have been proposed by Germany, is to divert America's attention and strength in as many directions as possible so as to prevent full United States support to Britain, the reports said.—United Press.

27-Year Search for Father Concluded

Death Notice in Manila Ends Sons' Quest

Kobe, Sept. 26.

Bringing to an end a 27-year search for his father, Shinichi Murayama, 34-year-old dealer of machine tools was today en route to Manila aboard the Shikano Maru.

The quest for his parent, however, ended unhappily for his long-lost father, Jihei, who abandoned his wife and two children when Shinichi was in infancy, died in Manila in October last year.

The whereabouts of his father was learned by Shinichi through a death notice sent to the native village by the Japanese consulate-General at Manila.

Shinichi, together with his brother Shigeharu, left their native village in Toyama Prefecture for Tokyo as children when their heart-broken mother died. The two struggled through school to become successful businessmen, always on the lookout for some news of their long-lost father.—Domei.

Singapore Arrests Said Discussed in London

London, Sept. 26.

It is understood the detention of Japanese subjects at Singapore was one of the Matters in a conversation on general questions affecting the interests of Great Britain and Japan, which the Japanese Ambassador, Mr. Mamoru Shigemitsu, had at the Foreign Office yesterday with Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.—Reuter.

Japanese Invasion of Indo-China Criticized

U.S. Paper Declares Japan Has Violated Pledge

Washington, Sept. 26.

Japan's invasion of French Indo-China threatens vital United States sources of strategic war materials, the "Washington Post" said in an editorial here yesterday.

"Japan has again violated her pledge," the paper said, recalling Japan's avowed desire to maintain the status quo in French Indo-China. The paper also pointed out that the Japanese south China army had violated the Japanese-dictated Hanoi agreement by attacking Indo-China from the north.

"Once in control of Indo-China," the paper said, 'Japan will be able to conduct war on China from the rear. Japan also will be within striking distance of the Netherlands East Indies. That is threatening vital American sources of rubber and tin."—United Press.

Indian Fined in H.M. Police Court

Unlicensed Sale of "Adulterated Milk" Serious Offence

After pleading guilty to a charge of selling milk at 125/3 Wayside Road to German Jewish refugees without a licence on five occasions, Chenjel Singh, Sikh watchman, told Mr. C. H. Haines, the Registrar, in H.M. Supreme Court yesterday that he had committed the offence to augment his wages of $45 a month which he declared were insufficient owing to the high cost of living. He was fined $20 for not having a licence and an additional $20 for a continuation of the offence on four different occasions, the fine being reckoned at $5 for each occasion.

Defendant said he did not know a licence was required and had not heard that other members of the local Sikh community had been fined for the same offence. He informed the court that he was obtaining fifteen pounds of milk daily from 320 Chemulpo Road outside the Settlement and peddling it in the Settlement.

He pleaded not guilty to an additional charge of being in possession of adulterated milk for the purpose of sale on August 20, at the same address. Mr. P. Watkin Williams prosecuted for the Public Health Department of the Municipal Council in both cases. The second charge was brought under Section 24 of the Food and Drugs Act of 1928.

Milk Analysed

Inspector G. V. Volchkoff of the Health Department related how he followed defendant from a road in the Eastern district to Wayside. He said he had met defendant on previous occasions when defendant was riding a bicycle with bottles of milk suspended across the bar. The Indian was apparently delivering milk. On the last occasion witness said he took a sample of the milk which defendant took to the Wayside address, and gave it to the Municipal analyst.

Mr. L. H. Barton, Municipal Analyst told the court that he made an analysis of the milk and the contents indicated the presence of 12.26 per cent. of added water.

Defendant asserted that the adulteration was done without his knowledge by the Chinese who sold him the milk, when Mr. Haines pointed out that he was charged with being in possession of adulterated milk, not with being concerned in the adulteration.

In fining the defendant $10 on this charge, Mr. Haines pointed out that under English law a fine not exceeding twenty pounds could be imposed for the first offence and one hundred pounds for a subsequent offence, observing that the authorities in England regarded the offence in a serious light. He saw no reason why the same view should not be taken locally, since addition of too much water might render the milk unfit for human consumption.

Increased Demand For Japanese Seamen

Government to Control Employment Offices

Tokyo, Sept. 26.

Effective October 1, all employment offices for Japanese seamen will be placed under the direct control of the Ministry of Communications, it was revealed here yesterday.

By placing these employment offices under government control, it was stated, it is hoped that a readjustment may be effected in the demand and supply of seamen, especially in view of the increased demand for seamen at this time.

As a first step toward this programme, it was revealed special employment offices for sailors will be set up at 25 central cities including Tokyo, Yokohama, Osaka, Kobe, Nagoya, Nagasaki, Moji, Hiroshima and Hakodate.—Domei.

MR. Chang Shan-chih, well-known Chinese artist, returned to Hongkong on Wednesday after a tour in the United States where several public exhibitions of his paintings were held, the "National Herald" says.

British Envoy Said Discussing Burma Road

Chungking, Sept. 26.

The question of the reopening of the Burma Road forms the principal subject of conversations between the British Ambassador, Sir Archibald Kerr, and the Chinese Government since the arrival of the British Ambassador here according to the "Ta Kung Pao."—Reuter.

Booklet Sold for Red Cross Funds

Work of Rescue During Dunkirk Withdrawal Told In Publication

As the King of the Belgians capitulated when the hour was darkest and France was falling, with the Battle of Flanders and of France being lost and won while the British Expeditionary Forces were grievously in peril of encirclement and annihilation by the German war machine, the B.E.F. fought might and main to extricate their main body in the tremendous rearguard action which has now come to be known as the Battle of Dunkirk.

"Nothing, I feel, could be more English then this Battle of Dunkirk, both in its beginning and its end, its folly and its grandeur," declared the famous English novelist and writer, Mr. J. B. Priestley, in a broadcast to the nation and the Empire.

"It was very English in what was sadly wrong with it; this much has been freely admitted, and we are assured will be freely discussed when the proper moment arrives.

"We have gone sadly wrong like this before; and here and now we must resolve never, never to do it again. Another such blunder may not be forgiven us.

"But having admitted this much, let's do ourselves the justice of admitting too that this Dunkirk affair was also very English (and when I say "English" I really mean British) in the way in which, when apparently all was lost, so much was gloriously retrieved."

Red Cross Achievement

How so much could have been retrieved is told in a little booklet of pictures showing the men and the manner of the great retreat in which so much was saved after so much had been lost.

The booklet is all pictures, vividly telling the saga of Dunkirk, and has for introduction the broadcast by Mr. Priestley and a foreword by Field Marshal Sir Philip Chetwode on behalf of the British Red Cross and the St. John's War Organization, both of which rose to that great occasion to the utmost of their splendid traditions and made the saving of the wounded of the B.E.F. their own achievement.

"By day and by night," writes Field Marshal Chetwode, "trained stretcher-bearers, nurses and detachments of the two organizations, without stopping, worked on piers, on quaysides, in docksheds, and in schools hastily converted into reception and dressing stations for the wounded."

"Home from Dunkirk"

In aid of these two tremendously important and deserving institutions the booklet, entitled "Home from Dunkirk," has now been put on sale in Shanghai at Messrs. Kelly & Walsh, at their two stores, 66 Nanking Road and 876 Bubbling Well Road.

At the price of only $2 for each copy, the gross proceeds of the sale of these booklets (without deduction of any commission) will go to the Red Cross and St. Dunstan funds. Sale will be on a cash basis only and there can be no booking, so that all those interested should go or send for a copy as soon as possible.

"Today we cannot concern ourselves only with the wounded of the Fighting Forces," says Field Marshal Chetwode in his introductory appeal. "Civilians, even women and children, are now in the firing line, and must be provided for. So we ask the public to increase their support that we can faithfully carry out the heavier Red Cross services which have been placed upon us."

Former City Mayor Arrives in Manila

Calls on President and Expresses Confidence of Fullest Co-operation

Manila, Sept. 26.

Gen. Wu Teh-chen, Overseas Minister of the Chungking Government and former Mayor of the Greater Shanghai Municipality, arrived here by Clipper plane from Hongkong yesterday as a Chinese goodwill envoy to the Philippines.

Gen. Wu immediately called upon Sr. Manuel Quezon, President of the Philippines Commonwealth, and Mr. Francis B. Sayre, U.S. High Commissioner for the Philippines.

"I feel confident," Gen. Wu later told the press, "that my countrymen's cooperation to the fullest possible extent with the government of the Philippines may be counted upon in the maintenance of peace and order....The Commonwealth is becoming more and more important as a factor in shaping the future destiny of the Pacific area."

Other members of Gen. Wu's goodwill party include Mr. Edward Bing Shuey-lee, secretary of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Prof. Chang Yuan-jo, Mr. Hwang Tien-chio and "Gen." Morris A. Cohen.—United Press.

"New York Times" on Japanese Honour

Branded "International Outlaw"

New York, Sept 26.

"There is no reason why we should ape Vichy and pretend to like the Japanese actions. There is no reason why the United States should not take every diplomatic and economic measure that will help the Japanese people to understand that their nation is an international outlaw," states the "New York Times" in a leader entitled "Japan's Word of Honour."

The paper declared this after a lengthy discussion of the "pathetic" statement by M. Paul Baudoin, Vichy's Foreign Minister, that "Japan was off on a career, completely immoral, of opportunism which was bound to bring a head-on collision with the United States in a very short time."—Reuter.

Trade Negotiations in Batavia Proceeding

Batavia, Sept. 26.

Mr. Otoji Saito, Japanese Consul-General here, and Mr. J. E. Van Hoogstaten, Director of the Commercial Affairs Bureau, conferred again today following up preliminary negotiations which were held Monday. It is understood that further talks will be held tomorrow.—Domei.

Effort To Grow More Wheat in Japan

Cereal Instead of Rice May Be Urged on People

Tokyo, Sept. 26.

Supported by the youth of Japan, the Agriculture Ministry will launch a nationwide campaign this autumn for greater wheat-sowing, for increased home production of the cereal is needed, the press declares.

"Sow wheat on every vacant lot," will be the motto of the campaigners, who are to begin work by early next month. The Agriculture Ministry has announced its readiness to provide feritiliser to all who join in its campaign for more wheat.

Greater wheat supplies are stated to be necessary because, as the "Nichi Nichi" economist asserts, there is now much talk of encouraging the people to eat wheat instead of rice.—Havas.

New Navy Purchasing Office Head Here

Captain W. H. Wilterdink, Supply Corps, U.S. Navy, accompanied by Mrs. Wilterdink, arrived here on board the Pres. Polk. Captain Wilterdink has come to Shanghai under orders to assume duty, on September 30, as officer-in-charge of the U.S. Navy Purchasing and Disbursing Office, as the relief of Commander O. D. Foutch, Supply Corps, U.S. Navy. Captain Wilterdink was last on duty at San Francisco, Calif., where he was Supply and Accounting Officer of the Twelfth Naval District.

Commander Foutch has received orders to duty at the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, Navy Department, Washington, D.C., and he and Mrs. Foutch expect to sail for the U.S. on board the Pres. Cleveland on October 7, 1940.

Pan-Pacific Club Will Lessen Meetings

Tokyo, Sept. 26.

President Tadashiro Inouye, of the Tokyo Pan-Pacific Club, announced today that the organization will not be dissolved although meetings hereafter will be held only twice a month instead of weekly in order to cooperate with the present national trend.—Domei.

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Pope Directing Welfare Work

Insists on Efforts to Help War Refugees in Spite of Warnings

Vatican City, Sept. 2.

Despite his physicians' warnings, Pope Pius XII decided yesterday to take up, in addition to his many other tasks, personal direction of the many services he has created to better the condition of French prisoners of war and of war-struck refugees.

The Holy Father communicated his decision to the French Ambassador here, Count Wladimir d'Ormesson, when he received the envoy in audience yesterday for the fourth time in less than a month.

Much commented on here is the fact that Count d'Ormesson has been received by the Pope on four separate occasions so close together, and it is construed as a sign of his "exceptional goodwill" toward France.

The Pope appears to remember the days when he was Papal Nuncio in Munich during the 1914-1918 struggle, when he made the rounds of German prison and internment camps to bring comfort and moral stimulus to the interned. At that time, Swiss and neutral priests specially sent to Germany by the Holy See, helped in his charitable duties.

Things are more difficult today, but the Pope has nonetheless established a special committee which sends warm clothing, extra food, and books, to distressed Frenchmen, especially prisoners of war.

In this task, he finds ready co-operation from the Papal Nuncio in Vichy, Mgr. Valerio Valeri, who regularly sends large batches of parcels, and from the Nuncios in Portugal, Hungary and Rumania.

A special bureau has been set up here to re-establish communications between prisoners of war and their families, and in many cases this bureau has informed worried, grief-stricken families of the whereabouts of their kin.

All these efforts, French quarters here emphasized, are very highly appreciated in France.—Havas.

Governor Says Hawaii Impregnable

Huge Airport Constructed On Oahu Island

New York, Sept. 26.

The defences of Hawaii have been built up so strongly by the United States army and navy that today the islands are "impregnable" Joseph B. Poindexter, Governor of Hawaii, declared in an interview in this city.

The Governor told newspapermen that it was his personal opinion that no enemy nation could take the islands today, but added that if they were not impregnable now they certainly would be when the present army and navy building programme was finished. The Army authorities are now rushing to completion, the Governor said, a large military airport on Oahu island, where 20,000 soldiers were now stationed.

"I can't tread on the State Department's toes," the Governor said when asked what was the feeling in Hawaii about Japan.

Governor Poindexter said that a plebiscite would be held in the islands this November to decide whether to petition the Congress of the United States for admission into the union as the forty-ninth state.—Reuter.

Mr. Howard Urges U.S. Use of Singapore

Would Alter "the Whole Pattern" in Pacific

New York, Sept. 26.

Mr. Roy Howard, head of the Scripps-Howard newspapers, yesterday advocated American use of the British naval base at Singapore.

In another of a series of articles on his recent 30,000 mile aerial tour of the Pacific, Mr. Howard said that American use of the Singapore naval base would alter" the whole pattern" in the Pacific and might save the Philippine Islands from Japanese designs.

He said a strong American or British fleet in Singapore might even hasten a just settlement of the Sino-Japanese war, "which obviously is deadlocked."

Mr. Howard said, however, that the United States—as a prerequisite to accepting the British offer of the use of the Singapore naval base—must adopt a "definite long-term policy" in the Pacific, taking into consideration Japan's legitimate needs and the extent to which the United States is prepared to defend her interests in those waters.—United Press.

Legion Resolves That Bridges Be Deported

Barring Use of Mails to "Enemies" Suggested

Boston, Sept. 26.

The American Legion annual National Convention here yesterday adopted a resolution calling for the deportation of Mr. Harry Bridges, alien west coast labour leader alleged to be a Communist.

The Legion also adopted resolutions demanding that the use of the mails be prohibited to un-American organizations. All groups whose names include the names of foreign countries should also be barred from using the mails, the resolution stated.

The Legion resolution also urged the Government to ban foreign language radio programme in the United States and called for the registration of all subversive groups which should then be denied the use of public buildings.—United Press.

No Shortage of Food Says Minister

London, Sept. 26.

"If you can't have one thing I will give you another," Lord Woolton, Minister of Food, told the nation in a broadcast last night, in which he warned the people that they must not expect all things to choose from in the second year of the war that they had in the first year. Assuring the nation that there would be enough to eat, Lord Woolton said they had stored for today and for days to come.—Reuter.

SHIPPING NEWS

The ss. **Taiyo Maru**, Tao Kaiun Kaisya express liner to Kobe, sailed yesterday afternoon on her return trip to Japan at 5 p.m., with mail and passengers. She will arrive in Shanghai again, in the course of her regular run, on October 5.

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The ss. **Koga Maru**, freighter of the D.K.K. Line, arrived in harbour yesterday morning from Tientsin, via Tsingtao. She is scheduled to sail again for the north this afternoon at about 3 o'clock, with a shipment of general cargo.

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The Toa K.K. freighter, ss. **Huashan** Maru is scheduled to arrive in Shanghai tomorrow, with a load of general cargo from Tientsin. She calls at Chefoo and Tsingtao on her regular run from the north. The ship is due to sail on her return voyage to Tientsin on October 2.

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Operating on the Shanghai-Tsingtao-Dairen route, D.K.K. Line's ss. **Hoten Maru** is expected to arrive in harbour at about 4 o'clock this afternoon. The liner is expected to remain in dock for a day, leaving on Sunday, September 29, on her return trip to the northern ports. She will carry both registered and ordinary mails for the north.

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The ss. **Husan Maru**, T.K.K. fast freighter operated by the N.Y.K. Line, arrived in Shanghai yesterday at noon, docking at the Tao K.K.'s Yangtszepoo wharf. The cargo boat came here from Zinsen, Korea, calling at Tsingtao. The ship will stay in Shanghai for two days, sailing again for Korea tomorrow at about 2 o'clock in the afternoon. She will call at Tsingtao on her way back.

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The ss. **Steel Voyager**, of the Isthmian Steamship Company, arrived in harbour late last night, with a cargo of 2,000 tons of steel and iron. The freighter, which comes from New York, by way of Savannah and Manila, is expected to be in port for three days, sailing again on September 29. She is docked at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Company's Pootung Wharf.

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The T.Y.K. fast freighter ss. **Kinko Maru**, operated by the N.Y.K. Line, arrived in Shanghai yesterday morning at 9 o'clock. from Seisin, by way of Husan and Tsingtao. She docked at the D.K.K.'s Whangpoo Wharf, Shanghai side. Remaining in harbour for a day, the vessel is scheduled to sail on her return voyage to Korea, by way of Tsingtao at 2 p.m. today. The bulk of her shipmen to Korea consists of paper.

Vessels Arriving To-day

The following particulars in connection with vessels due to arrive today are based upon information available yesterday evening.

From DAIREN: Hoten Maru, with mail, due 2-3 p.m., Whangpoo Wharf.

Due at Future Dates

All vessels are listed under their terminal port. The first date is that of the ship's departure from that port, and the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai. Where a ship's name is duplicated it indicates the port of call last visited.

On account of the present international situation there is considerable interference with movements of ships, especially those from Europe. In cases where it is definitely known that the vessel is not running to schedule the Shanghai arrival date is omitted.

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From New York		From Yokohama	
St. Voyager	— 27/9	Nitta M	7/9 1/10
P G'field	29/8 14/10	**From Kobe**	
Vasaholm	— 20/10	Taiyo M	3/10 5/10
From Los Angeles		**From Nagasaki**	
Nitta M	19/8 1/10	S'hai M	28/9 29/9
From Seattle		**From Keelung**	
W Cuseta	30/9 27/10	Tyosa M	28/9 30/9
From Honolulu			
P G'field	27/9 14/10		

CHINA PORTS

From Dairen			
D'ren M	28/9 30/9		

Vessels Discharging

DEUCALION. From Liverpool arrived on September 26, and is discharging her cargo at Holt's Wharf, Pootung. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature. Consignees of "Bulk Cargo" are further requested to send their representative to the Wharf to verify the weight of such cargo whilst being landed. Damaged cargo will be examined in the presence of a Customs Officer on Thursday, October 3, at 9.30 a.m. Claims must be presented within 15 days of vessel's arrival. No insurance effected. Butterfield & Swire, Agents. 29-9

SAGOLAND. The Maersk Line ms. Sagoland, from New York, Philadelphia, Los Angeles, Yokohama and Kobe via Ports is now discharging her cargo at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf, Shanghai side. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their cargo. All risk of fire at the wharf and godowns to be borne by consignees. Any claims against this vessel must be sent in within (15) fifteen days after the vessel's arrival, otherwise they will not be recognized. Damaged cargo to be examined at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf, Shanghai side by Messrs. Paulsen & Bayes Davy on Thursday morning, October 3, at 9 a.m. Maersk Line, Shanghai Agency, 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 29-9

STEEL VOYAGER. The Isthmian Steamship Company's ss. Steel Voyager from U.S.A. via Ports. This steamer is now discharging her cargo (except Prohibited Articles and Dangerous Goods) into the godown of the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Company's Pootung Wharf. Consignees of cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for counter signature and take immediate delivery of their cargo. Consignees of bulk cargo are further requested to send their representative to the wharf to verify the weight of such cargo while it is being landed. All claims against this steamer must be sent in within 14 days from date of steamer's arrival or they will not be recognized. Ship damaged cargo will be examined only on Thursday, October 3, 1940, commencing at 9 a.m. in accordance with Customs Regulations governing same. All risk of fire at the godown and wharf to be borne by the Consignees. Isthmian Steamship Company. 30-9

Yesterday's Arrivals

Name	From	Consignees
Koga M.	Tientsin	D.K.K.
Sagoland	Japan	Maersk L.
Kinko M.	Tsingtao	N.Y.K.
Fooshing	Hsinkong	C.C.T.
Anwoo	Hsinkong	Dah Hsing
Husan M.	Tsingtao	N.Y.K.
Steel Voyager	Manila	Isthmian

TRAVEL AND SHIPPING

N. Y. K. LINE

Orient-California Line via Honolulu
*ASAMA MARU ..... Oct. 2
NITTA MARU ..... Oct. 14
TATUTA MARU ..... Oct. 24
YAWATA MARU .... Nov. 7
KAMAKURA MARU .. Nov. 15
*Sailing from Kobe

Orient-Seattle Line via Vancouver
From Kobe
HEIAN MARU ..... Oct. 16
HIKAWA MARU .... Oct. 23
HIE MARU ..... Nov. 12

Orient-New York Line via Los Angeles and Panama
SANUKI MARU ..... Oct. 11
SAKITO MARU ..... Oct. 27

Japan-Australia Line via Hongkong and Manila
From Nagasaki
KITANO MARU ..... Oct. 21

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SUWA MARU ..... Dec. 7
Beyond Bombay Suspended

Japan-Bombay Line Singapore, Colombo, Bombay, Kundla and Karachi
TOKIWA MARU ..... Oct. 7
HARUNA MARU .... Oct. 24

Orient-South America Line West coast ports via San Francisco from Kobe
YASUKUNI MARU ... Oct. 27

Shanghai—Kobe Yokohama Line
ANYO MARU ..... Oct. 5
YASUKUNI MARU .. Oct. 10
NITTA MARU ..... Oct. 14
TATUTA MARU ..... Oct. 24

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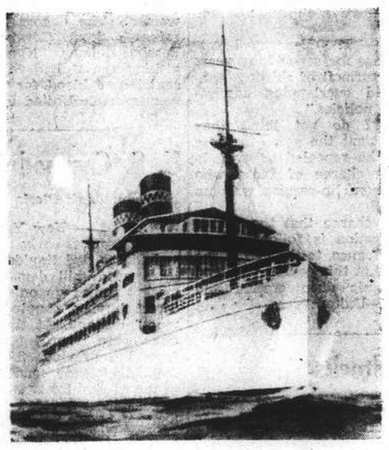

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DEPARTURES

Sept. 26, for **Chinwangtao:** Mrs. R. J. H. Moffat, Mrs. P. H. McIntyre, Mr. P. Y. Wei, Mrs. C. K. Crookshank, Mr. & Mrs. H. G. Kerchkoff.

Per Pres. Polk, Sept. 26, for **Hongkong:** Mr. & Mrs. R. O. Ludden, Ensign K. E. Pound, Mr. Saburo Akatu, Mr. E. Lopato, Mr. Lionel Paul Stagg, for **Manila:** Mr. & Mrs. J. M. Huppman, Mr. Roland Grimm, Mrs. J. D. Casey, Mrs. H. B. Slocum, Miss Ann T. Slocum, Mrs. Edna M. Holden, Miss Gladys I. Holden, Mstr. Thomas A. Holden, Miss E. G. Davis, Mrs. N. R. Applegate, Mrs. & Mstr. John G. Winn.

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For Bombay		Taiyo M	8/10
Tokiwa M	7/10	Yasukuni M	10/10
Haruna M	24/10	**For Nagasaki**	
For New York		Shanghai M	30/9
Steel Voyager	28/9	**For Dairen**	
Kinai M	10/10	Hoten M	29/9
Sanuki M	11/10	Dairen M	2/10
Dona Aurora	14/10	Tsingtao M	4/10
P Garfield	14/10	Hoten M	7/10
Hokkai M	24/10	Dairen M	10/10
Dona Nati	31/10	Tsingtao M	12/10
For Manila			
P Garfield	14/10		
West Cuseta	29/10		

Yesterday's Departures

Name	Flag	Despatcher
Tsingtao M.	Jap.	D.K.K.
Shanghai M.	Jap.	T.K.K.
Pres. Polk	Am.	A.P.L.
Anshing	Jap.	T.K.K.
Myoko M.	Jap.	T.K.K.
Kurama M.	Jap.	O.S.K.
Taiyo M.	Jap.	T.K.K.

Men-of-War in Port

Name	Flag	Type	Berthed
Augusta	Am.	Cr.	B.N.B.
Bittern 36	Am.	Mine	Y.T.P.D.
Bulmer	Am.	Dest.	R.T.B. 1-2
Edsall	Am.	Dest.	R.T.B. 1-2
Guam	Am.	Gbt.	B.N.B.
Isabel	Am.	Gbt.	F.N.B.
Luzon	Am.	Gbt.	F.N.B.
Parrott	Am.	Dest.	C.N.C.B. 1-2
Paul Jones	Am.	Dest.	R.T.B. 2-3
Stewart	Am.	Dest.	C.N.C.B. 1-2
D. de Lagree	Fr.	Gbt.	K.S.D.
Fran. Garnier	Fr.	Gbt.	F.N.B.
E. Carlotto	Itl.	Gbt.	1-2 B
Lepanto	Itl.	Gbt.	1-2 B

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ss. TSINGTAO MARU	Oct. 2	Oct. 4 at 9 a.m.
ss. HOTEN MARU	Oct. 5	Oct. 7 at 9 a.m.
ss. DAIREN MARU	Oct. 8	Oct. 10 at 9 a.m.
ss. TSINGTAO MARU	Oct. 10	Oct. 12 at 9 a.m.
ss. HOTEN MARU	Oct. 13	Oct. 15 at 9 a.m.

DAIREN-TIENTSIN LINE (Sailing from Dairen)
ss HOKKAI MARU ..... Departure: Oct. 3 at 11 a.m.
ss MANZYU MARU ..... Oct 5 at 2 p.m.
SHANGHAI-TSINGTAO-TIENTSIN-DAIREN-LINE (Freight only)
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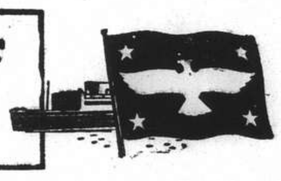

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NAGASAKI MARU	Oct. 6	Oct. 7 at 8.30 a.m.
SHANGHAI MARU	Oct. 8	Oct. 9 at 8.30 am.

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INTER BANK CASH DELIVERY

	Highest	Lowest
£	3$\frac{9}{16}$	3$\frac{13}{32}$
U.S. G.$	5$\frac{15}{32}$	5$\frac{11}{32}$

MERCHANT CLOSING RATES

SELLING		BUYING	
Cash/Sept.		Sept./Oct.	
£ T.T.	3$\frac{11}{32}$	4 m/s. l.c.	3$\frac{21}{32}$
G.$ T.T.	5⅜	4 m/s. l.c.	5$\frac{9}{16}$
Rs. T.T.	19⅝	15 d/s.	20¼

BAR SILVER

	READY	FOR'D
London pence per std. oz.	23$\frac{7}{16}$	23⅜
N.Y. cents per oz. troy	34¾	—
Bombay Rs. per 100 tolas	62.13	—
Bombay offtake 50 bars.		

U.S. $/£ CROSS RATE CASH QUOTATIONS

New York closing rate for Sept. 25	4.05
Local Sellers of U.S.$ against £ at the close	3.67
Local Buyers of U.S.$ against £ at the close	3.69

The market was quiet in the early part of the morning with only small offerings from Hongkong. Just before noon news of a loan of U.S.$25,000,000 by America to China came on the market bringing out speculative sellers of U.S.$. Business was done in the early afternoon at 5$\frac{15}{32}$ for U.S.$, but at this rate buyers came out and the market turned easier. Robbed of the speculative support, the market in the late afternoon was quiet and rather easier, closing with sellers at

3$\frac{15}{32}$ sterling 5$\frac{7}{16}$ U.S.$ Cash/Sept.
3$\frac{15}{32}$ „ 5$\frac{15}{32}$ „ Oct.

Foreign Exchanges

Closing, Sept. 25.

Bombay Rupee T. T. on:

Japan	81¼	London	1/5$\frac{31}{32}$
New York	333	2 mths	
Shanghai	20¾	„ sellers	1/5$\frac{31}{32}$
Hongkong	84¼	„ buyers	1/6$\frac{1}{32}$
		Japan 2 mths	
		„ sellers	82¾
		„ buyers	77

London £ Sterling T. T. on:

New York	402.50	Bombay	1/6$\frac{1}{32}$
Madrid	37.70	Hongkong	1/3$\frac{1}{16}$
Berne	17.65	Singapore	2/4$\frac{1}{32}$
Bel. C'go	176½	Yokohama	1/2½
Shanghai	3$\frac{15}{32}$d.	„ (buying)	1/2

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.00	Shanghai	5.42
Spain	9.25 N.	Hungary	19.50†
Italy	5.05 N.	Rumania	0.50
S'lerland	22.84	Yugo Slavia	2.30
Sweden	23.82	Greece	0.68
Montreal	85.750	Finland	2.05
Brazil	5.05	Manila	49.81
Japan	23.48		
London			4.05
Buenos Aires, Paper			29.78
„ „ „ market rate			23.20
Montreal on London			4.72⅝

N—Nom. *—Official †—Quoted.—Reuter.

Foreign Money Rates

London:		Sept. 25.
Fine Bank Bills,	3 months	1$\frac{1}{16}$%
Bank Bills,	6 months	1¼%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	2¾%
Fine Trade Bills,	6 months	3¼%
Call Money		⅞%
New York:		
Bankers' Acceptances for 1, 2 and 3 months		0½%B
		0$\frac{7}{16}$%A
Bankers' Acceptances for 4 months		0$\frac{9}{16}$%B
		0½%A
Call money		1%

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

Local Commodities

Yesterday's Prices

Cotton yn. 20's, D.H. per bale	$1,082
Tungchow cotton .. per picul	193
Wheat .... per picul (50 kilos)	$24.65
Flour, local .. per bag (49lb.)	16.50
	picul
Raw silk, Steamfil, 20/22 78%	$5,300
	nom.

Manila Gold Shares

(Bids in Pesos)

Sept. 26.	Bid Prices a.m. Closing	p.m. Closing
Atoks	.16	.165 S
Baguio Gold	.145	.15 S
Batong Buhay	.0075	.0075
Benguet Consolidated	4.30 *	—
Big Wedge	.18	.18
Consolidated Mines	.0020	.0020
Demonstration	.075	.075
East Mindanao	.08 S	.08 S
I. X. L.	.27 S	.27 S
Itogen	.17	.17
Masbate Consolidated	.0675	.0650
Paracale Gumaus	.165	.165
Surigao Consolidated	.16	.16
Suyoc	.0925 S	.0925 S
United Paracale	.165 S	.165 S
Mindanao Motherlode	.0925	.0925
Manila Hai-Alai	8.60	—

Turnover for the Morning: 18,400 Pesos.
Shares Index: (Morning Session) 51.32.
S—Sales. *—Over counter.—Reuter.

Silver Quotations

London, Sept. 26.

	Sept. 25	Sept. 26
London spot	23$\frac{7}{16}$d.	unreceived
„ forward	23⅜d.	„
„ gold	168/-	168/-

—Reuter.

Shanghai Stocks

Yesterday's Business

Sentiment was definitely bearish at the opening yesterday, due to fears of the present utility strikes spreading further. In fact early on the board presented a very bare appearance, but again the underlying strength of the market was shown, when the news of an American Loan to China revived it somewhat. However the market was extremely erratic all day on a very big turnover, but at the close the over bought position seemed to be nearly liquidated and issues such as Docks, Wheelocks and Ewos firmed up. The strength may or may not be maintained but all that can be said is that a great deal depends on the local strike situation. Rubbers had a neglected appearance naturally, owing to most of the business being done in industrials, but nevertheless held very well.

Official Averages

High	Low		Today's Average	Change
456.55	105.32	General	296.02	—8.99
485.40	95.55	Rubbers	280.38	—9.33

Total 560,574 shares, 4,210 bonds.

Morning Session

25/9/40

Dockyards					200	36.00
I. I. Trust (X.D.)			1000	23.50	5500	24.00
	2000	23.75	1000	*23.50	500	23.50
	1000	*22.50	1500	22.75	1500	23.00
	3000	22.75	500	22.50	6000	23.00
	1500	*23.00	1000	23.25	2000	22.75
	500	*22.50	1500	23.00	1500	23.25
Int. Assurance					1500	16.50
S'hai Loan			1000	29.00	2000	28.50
	2000	28.00	5000	27.50	500	27.75
	500	28.50	500	28.75		
Yangtsze Finance (X.D.)					2000	14.90
	3500	14.80	500	15.00	2500	14.50
	500	14.70	500	*14.60	2000	14.60
	500	*14.50	1500	14.40	1500	14.50
	500	14.70	1500	14.60	500	14.70
S'hai Securities			500	5.60	500	*5.55
	1000	5.55	4500	5.50	3000	5.40
	2000	5.35	500	5.30	1000	5.20
	1000	5.25	1000	*5.20	1000	5.15
	1000	*5.25	500	5.20	3000	5.30
	500	5.25	500	5.35	500	5.45
S'hai Land			1000	*12.00	2500	12.00
	500	11.90	2000	12.00		
Dockyards			1600	*35.00	3100	35.00
	700	35.75	400	*36.00	6700	36.00
	1100	36.25	800	*36.00	3600	35.75
	1100	*35.75	1700	35.50	100	*35.50
	900	35.25	3400	35.00	3200	35.25
	400	*35.25	2800	34.75	600	*34.50
	3600	34.75	100	34.50	2400	35.00
	1000	*35.00	900	35.25	1400	35.50
	100	*35.25	1600	35.00	2000	35.25
	1400	35.50	300	*35.50	500	35.75
	100	36.00	400	35.75		
Wheelock			1900	83.00	700	82.50
	400	83.50	100	84.00	100	*84.00
	4000	85.00	300	84.50	400	*85.00
	300	83.50	1000	84.50	100	*85.00
	700	84.00	600	83.50	3400	83.00
	100	*83.00	200	*83.50	1100	82.50
	100	*82.50	1800	82.00	100	*82.00
	100	81.50	1000	82.50	1200	82.00
	1900	83.50	1200	84.00	100	*84.00
	400	*83.50	500	83.00	700	82.50
	800	*83.00	300	*82.50	800	83.00
	400	83.50	100	*84.00	1100	84.0[illegible]
	600	84.50	100	*85.00	200	84.50
C. G. Omnibus			100	21.50	1000	*21.00
	1500	21.00	1000	20.75	100	*20.75
	600	21.00	700	21.50		
S'hai Gas (Old)			200	20.00	100	19.9[illegible]
	1200	*19.80	1000	19.80	200	19.50
	100	19.60	100	19.30	200	*19.20
S'hai Gas (New)			100	19.00	100	18.50
	100	18.60	100	18.80		
Tram (Bearer) £1					400	48.00
	600	47.50	400	48.00	200	*48.00
Telephone			700	46.50	100	46.00
	400	45.50	200	45.75	200	44.00
	500	*44.00	500	44.50	600	44.75
	200	45.25	1300	46.00	200	45.00
	2200	45.50	200	*45.50	300	45.75
	900	46.25	500	46.50		
Metal			2200	33.00	1100	33.50
	200	33.75	900	32.50	900	32.75
	300	*32.50	300	*32.00	900	32.25
	100	*32.25	2600	32.00	200	31.5[illegible]
	100	32.25	500	*32.00	1900	32.75
	600	33.25	300	33.00	700	32.50
	200	33.50	400	*33.25		
Exploration (X.D.)					1000	26.00
	2500	25.50	4000	26.50	3500	26.25
	1000	26.50	4500	26.00	1500	25.50
	7000	25.00	500	*24.75	8000	25.00
	1500	24.75	1000	*25.00	500	*25.50
	2000	25.25	7000	25.50	3000	25.75
	4000	26.00	1000	25.25	2000	25.50
	2500	25.75	1500	26.00		
Lumber			100	46.75	100	46.25
	200	46.00	500	45.25	700	45.75
	400	45.50	300	*45.00	1500	45.00
	500	44.50	500	*44.75	1000	45.25
	200	45.50	100	*45.50		
Power (Pref)					30	137.00
Ewo Mills (Ord)			400	44.50	2300	44.00
	600	*44.50	6000	45.00	900	44.75
	1700	45.25	100	*44.75	700	44.50
	4500	44.00	1300	44.00	3700	43.75
	400	*43.75	3200	43.50	1200	43.7[illegible]
	3100	44.00	400	*44.50	4200	44.20
	2800	44.25	600	*44.00	800	44.75
	1600	44.00	700	*44.25	1200	44.50
	100	*44.50	300	44.25	1000	44.75
	900	45.00	100	*45.00		
China Textile			100	8.60	100	8.55
	1700	8.50	1200	8.55	1800	8.8[illegible]
	200	8.85	2300	8.90	1400	8.95
	1000	8.85	1900	8.80	2500	8.70
	400	8.75	2100	8.80	500	*8.75
	400	*8.90	900	8.80	500	*8.80
	8900	8.75	100	8.70	200	8.80
	2000	8.95	300	9.00	100	8.90
	2300	8.90	600	8.85	1800	8.95
	1300	9.00	200	9.10		
Anglo Dutch			400	19.80	300	20.00
	300	19.90	500	20.00		
Anglo Java			300	37.50	300	37.25
	400	37.00	900	36.50	200	36.25
	900	36.00	100	*36.00	200	*35.75
	600	36.50	100	36.25	100	*36.50
	400	36.50				
Chemor					2000	2.80
Cheng (X.D.)					2000	0.83
Kota					2000	5.0[illegible]
Kroewoek			1000	*2.65	1000	2.65
Langkat			100	*27.50	200	27.50
	700	27.25	600	27.00	1100	27.50
	400	27.25	300	27.75		
Rubber Trust			500	*10.10	2500	10.00
Senawang			2000	1.64	2000	1.62
Pahang					1000	*5.20
Ziangbe			700	23.75	100	24.00
	100	*24.00				
Tebong			3000	1.66	2000	1.68
	1000	*1.66	1000	1.68		
Telephone					100	47.50
Power 5% Debs.					15000	91.25

ODD LOTS

Union Ins.			4	*Hk$415.00
Exploration	100	*26.00	100	*26.25
Yangtsze Finance			100	14.70
Metal			50	32.50
I. I. Trust	90	22.50	100	22.50
China Textile			50	8.75
S'hai Loan			100	*28.00

Afternoon Session

Int. Assurance			500	16.70	500	16.80
	1000	17.00				
I. I. Trust X.D.			6500	23.00	4000	23.25
	1000	22.75	3000	23.50		
S'hai Loan			500	28.50	500	28.25
	1000	28.00	500	28.25		
Yangtsze Finance X.D.					500	14.70
	1000	14.60	3000	14.40	1500	14.50
	1000	14.70	1000	14.80		
S'hai Securities			1500	5.40	1000	5.35
	2000	5.35	3500	5.20	500	5.40
S'hai Land			1500	12.00	1000	12.10
	500	12.20				
Dockyards			1500	36.00	300	*35.50
	1500	35.25	200	35.00	400	*34.50
	3300	34.75	200	34.50	300	*35.00
	100	*34.75	3200	35.00	2200	35.25
	700	*35.50	1800	35.50	600	35.75
	800	*36.00				
Metro. Land					500	10.30
Wheelock			900	84.00	400	83.50
	500	82.00	900	83.00	100	*82.50
	500	82.50	1300	82.00	100	81.50
	100	*81.50	1300	82.50	1300	82.00
	200	*83.00	500	83.00	500	82.50
	4200	83.50	1800	84.00	100	*84.00
	1500	84.50	3900	85.00	500	85.50
C. G. Omnibus			700	21.25	300	*21.25
	300	21.00				
S'hai Gas (Old)			100	19.10	200	19.60
	100	19.50	700	19.00	300	19.20
	200	*19.10	100	19.10	200	19.30
	100	19.40				
Tram (Bearer) £1					100	48.00
	100	48.25	100	48.50	100	49.00
Telephone			800	46.50	900	46.25
	500	*45.00	900	45.25	300	45.00
	800	45.25	100	45.50	100	45.75
	300	46.00	700	46.50		
Metal			200	33.25	200	*33.00
	100	33.00	100	32.75	200	32.50
	1200	32.00	100	31.75	1200	32.25
	900	32.50	100	*32.50	200	32.75
	200	33.00				
Lumber			100	46.00	500	45.50
	400	45.00	100	44.50	400	44.75
	200	45.25				
Exploration			500	*26.25	3500	26.00
	500	*25.50	1000	25.50	2500	25.25
	1500	*25.25	3000	25.00	2000	25.75
	2500	25.50	8000	26.00	3000	25.75
	1000	26.25				
Ewo Mills (Ord)			2100	44.75	200	44.50
	1200	44.00	1700	43.75	200	*43.75
	200	*43.50	1100	43.50	2800	43.75
	100	*43.75	3300	44.00	600	43.75
	500	44.25	2300	44.50		
S'hai Cotton					100	*180.00
China Textile			1000	9.00	1000	8.90
	500	8.95	200	*9.05	200	9.10
	400	9.05	1500	9.00	2200	8.90
	200	8.95	5700	8.90	1000	*8.85
	100	8.95	2000	8.90	1000	8.85
	1000	*8.95	500	8.90	300	*8.95
	3600	8.95	1400	9.00		
Anglo Dutch					100	20.25
Anglo Java			300	36.50	300	36.25
	100	35.75	700	36.00	100	36.50
Chemor					2000	2.80
Cheng X.D.					2000	0.85
Kroewoek			1000	*2.70	1000	2.70
Langkat			100	27.75	200	27.50
	400	27.25	100	*27.50	1000	27.50
Samagaga					1000	*1.68
Kelantan			1000	*1.04	2000	1.06
	1000	1.04				
Ziangbe			100	23.50	700	24.00
Tebong			4000	1.66	1000	*1.66
Telephone 6% Tael Debs.					6000	96.50
Power 5½% Debs.					400000	*91.25

ODD LOTS

China Textile	50	9.00

*—Direct Business.

New York Stocks

Wednesday's Closing Quotations

New York, Sept. 25.

Wall Street assumed a wait-and-see policy today, with quotations generally finishing fractions down on balance. Operators were cautious, owing to the uncertainty of foreign news reports, while the Far Eastern situation remained an additional depressing factor. However, liquidation and short selling never at any time assumed great proportions, while potential buyers preferred to sit on the sidelines. The turnover toalled 600,000 shares.—Reuter.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	134.58	133.40	134.15	—0.29
20 Rails	28.97	28.72	28.83	—0.07
15 Utilit.	22.32	22.15	22.29	+0.05
40 Bonds	—	—	90.17	—0.04
11 Commod.	—	—	52.81	+0.35

	Sept. 24	25		Sept. 24	25
Adams Exp	5¼	5⅝	Lockheed	29½	29¼
Alg Lud	22¾	22½	Loew's	26¼	25¼
Allis Chal	34¼	34¼	Loft Inc	21	20⅞
Alum Ltd	*84	84	Mack Trks	23¾	23⅞
Amer Can	100¼	99¼	Martin	32¼	32¼
Am Cyan B	37¼	36¾	Mck & R	23⅜	23
Am For Pr	1½	1½	Mont Ward	42¼	42⅜
„ $7 pfd	16½	16	Mountain	3¼	3⅜
Am Loco	15⅜	15¼	Nat Avian	10⅝	10⅝
Am Metal	17¼	17⅜	Nat City B	*24¼	*24¼
Am Raditor	7½	7½	Nat Dairy	13¼	13½
Am Rol	12¼	12⅛	Nat Dist	21½	21¾
Am Smltg	43	43½	Nat Lead	18⅞	18¼
Am Sug R	14	*13¼	Nat Power	*7⅜	7⅜
Am T & T	165	164½	Nat Sup	6¼	6¼
Am Tob B	79	79	N Y Cent	14⅛	14⅜
Am Wtwrks	8⅝	8⅝	Niag Hud	4¼	4⅛
Anaconda	23⅜	23¼	N A Avian	17½	17⅛
Atchison	17	17	N Am Co	18¼	18¼
Avian	4⅜	4⅜	N Pacific	7⅜	7¼
Bald Loco	16¼	16⅛	O I Glass	52	53¼
Balt & O	4⅝	4¼	Pac G & E	29⅜	29¾
Barber	10⅝	10¼	Packard	3¼	3¼
Barns Oil	8¼	8¼	Pan A Air	15	15
Bendix	32¼	32¼	Paramount	7	7
Beth Steel	80⅝	80	Penn R R	22⅝	22⅝
Eliss	15¼	15¼	P & R Coal	0⅜	*0⅜
Boeing	16⅝	16⅝	Phil Pet	36	36½
Borg War	18⅝	18⅜	P S of N J	35½	35½
Briggs	21½	22¼	Pullman	21½	21⅝
Budd Mfg	4⅝	4⅜	Pure Oil	7½	7½
Can Pac	3⅝	3⅜	Radio	4⅜	4⅜
Case J I	57	56	Reading	14⅜	14⅜
Celanese	29⅜	29¼	Rem Arms	*5⅜	*5⅜
Chase N B	*29¼	*29¼	Rep Avian	5¼	5¼
Chesapeake	41¼	40⅜	Rep Steel	18¼	18¼
Chrysler	79⅜	79¼	Rev C & B	12¼	12½
Col G & E	5⅜	5⅜	Rey Tob B	35¼	36
Col Credit	32¼	32	Safeway	43½	*43
Com & Sth	1¼	1¼	Schenley	10¼	10⅝
Cons Edis	27¼	27¼	Sears Roeb	83¼	83⅜
Cons Oil	6¼	6⅛	Shell U Oil	9⅝	9¼
Cont Can	39¼	40¼	Soc Vac	8¼	8⅜
Cont Oil	18¼	18⅜	Sthrn Pac	9¼	9¼
Copld Steel	19¾	20	Sthrn Rly	21½	21¼
Curtis Wr	8	8	Spicer	34	33¾
„ A	27¼	27⅝	Std Brands	6½	6⅜
Deere & Co	20⅝	21⅜	Std G & E	*1½	*1½
Dist Cpn S	17½	*17	Std Oil C	18	18
Douglas	76¾	78	Std Oil N J	34¾	35
Du Pont	173⅜	172¼	Stone & W	8¼	8⅜
E P Lead	9⅜	9¼	Studebaker	7¾	7⅝
Eaton Mfg	33¼	33¼	Swift Int	18½	18½
Elec A Lite	37	36⅜	Technicor	9⅝	9⅜
Elec B & S	5⅝	5¼	Tex Corp	36¾	36½
„ $5 pfd	64⅝	64¼	Tex Gulf	33⅜	33¼
„ $6 pfd	73⅜	73½	Timken	27⅝	28½
Elec P & Lt	38⅜	38⅜	Transamer	4⅞	4⅞
Flintkote	16¼	16⅜	Tw Cent F	6⅝	6¼
Gen A Tr	49¼	*49	Un B & P	12¼	12½
Gen Elec	35¼	35⅝	Un Carbide	75	75¼
Gen Motor	49¾	49¼	Un Pac	83⅜	83¼
Gen Rly	13¼	13¼	Un Air	40⅝	40⅝
Gen T & R	12⅞	12⅞	Un A Line	16⅞	16¼
Glidden	14¼	14¼	Un Corp	1⅝	1⅝
Goodrich	12⅝	12¾	„ $3 pfd	36¼	36⅝
„ $5 pfd	*57	56¼	Un Gas	1½	1½
Goodyear	16¼	16¼	Un G Imp	11⅝	11⅝
Gt N I Ore	14⅞	15	U S Ind	21⅝	22¼
Gt N Rly	27⅞	27⅜	U S Rub	21½	21½
Gt W Sug	20¼	*20¼	„ pfd	83	81
Greyhound	11⅜	11⅝	U S Smelt	63	64
Her Pow	82	82¼	U S Steel	58⅝	58¼
Homestake	45⅞	46¾	Vanadium	32¼	32⅜
Int Nickel	28	27⅝	Vultee	9⅜	9¼
Int Paper	14¼	14¼	Walworth	4⅞	4⅞
Int T & T	*2⅜	*2¼	War Br Pic	2¼	2¼
Kennecott	31½	32	West Elec	108¼	108¼
Lak F & M	4	4¼	Woodward	28⅝	28¼
Libbey O F	42¾	42¾			

BONDS

Amer. & For. Power	49½	49½
Baltimore & Ohio R.R.	35¼	34¼
Brazil (U.S. of) 8% 1941	15	14¼
„ „ „ 6½% 1957	12⅜	12¼
Cities Serv. Pwr. & Lt.	91	91¼
Erie 5s 1967	15¼	15¼
Int. Tel. & Tel.	28⅝	27¼
New England Elec.	67	66¾
Sthrn. Pacific Co.	44	43½
Stand. Gas & Elec.	71¾	71⅜

*—Bid. †—Ex Div.

Dow-Jones Summary

By courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Stock prices early declined today but thereafter resisted further downward adjustments, and later market leaders rallied with many closing with moderate gains. American Foundry received another large British order for 12-in. shells and also a contract for 1,000 ballast car for the Union Pacific. This business is in addition to the $28,000,000 worth of tank orders already booked for the Untedd States Army. Net operating income for the first twelve Railroads reporting for the month of August was 32 per cent. ahead of July and 12 per cent. ahead of August 1939. 1940 earnings of American Waterworks are estimated at $0.72 per share, against $0.52 per share for last year. The company may pay a dividend before the end of the year. Baldwin Locomotive's August bookings totalled $16,500,000 which brought the total backlog of the company to $47,000,000, against $38,000,000 last year.

Stocks:—The current action of the market continues to be favourable. Despite recent strength, we believe that second-grade rail bonds are likely to sell much higher, especially New York Central, Illinois-Central. Southern Pacific, Northern Pacific, Delaware & Hudson and Southern Railway.

STATISTICS

	Week Ended 21/9	Week Ended 14/9
Electricity Output (Edison Elec. Inst's) (Kilowatt hours—000's omitted)	2,629,000	2,639,000
Crude Oil Daily Average Production (Pet. Inst. of N.Y.'s) (barrels)	3,621,000	3,647,000

DIVIDENDS

U.S. Smelt. Refin. & Min. Co. $1.50

EARNINGS

Stock	Period	1940	1939
U.S. Smelt. R. & M.	8 mths 31/8	$3.99	$2.96

Cotton:—Large diversion to the loan is reported but the movement is insufficient to determine its importance. The Government Weekly weather report was construed as favourable. No October notices were issued today.

Wheat:—Early hesitancy of the nearness to the loan levels and moderate professional selling were quickly reversed, with the market advancing easily when buying appeared.

Corn:—Offerings were lighter on declines, and the early easiness gave way to a sharp advance when buyers found contracts were not pressing.

Rubber:—The dormant speculative interest was attributed to the large accumulation of stocks, but the increasing amount of Government owned stocks are not free. Despite ample stocks, we believe that any definite threat to shipments would cause an advance.

Hides:—Moved up easily on late buying and further moderate "spot" sales at advances by packers. The market was firm.

Sugar No. 4:—Continued stagnant.

Rival Party Platforms in United States Contrasted

Points at Issue in Presidential Election Outlined from Acceptance Speeches

Washington, Sept. 26.

HERE are the major points at issue in the current United States presidential campaign, as outlined in the acceptance speeches of President Franklin D. Roosevelt and Mr. Wendell L. Willkie and in the Democratic and Republican platforms:

CONSCRIPTION

Roosevelt—"Because of the millions of citizens involved in the conduct of defence, most right thinking persons are agreed that some form of selection by draft is as necessary and as fair today as it was in 1917 and 1918".

Willkie—"I cannot ask the American people to put their faith in me, without recording my conviction that some form of selective service is the only democratic way in which to secure the trained and competent manpower we need for national defence."

National Defence

Democratic Platform—"We propose to provide America with an invincible air force, a navy strong enough to protect all our seacoasts and our national interests, and a fully equipped and mechanized army."

Republican Platform—"By the President's own admission we are still wholly unprepared to defend our country......We declare for the prompt, orderly and realistic building of our national defence."

Roosevelt—"During the past few months, with due congressional approval, we.....have been taking steps to implement the total defence of America.

Willkie—"We must regain prosperity, restore the independence of our people, and protect our defensive forces."

Third Term

Democrats—Silent.

Republicans—"To insure against the overthrow of our American system of government we favour an amendment to the Constitution providing that no person shall be president... for more than two terms."

Roosevelt—"No call of party alone would prevail upon me to accept reelection to the presidency.....Today all private plans, all private lives have been repealed in a sense by an overriding public danger."

Willkie—"I would like to debate the question of the assumption by this president, in seeking a third term, of a greater public confidence than was accorded to our presidential giants, Washington, Jefferson, Jackson, Lincoln, Cleveland, Theodore Roosevelt, and Woodrow Wilson."

Aid to Democracies

Democrats — Pledged to "peoples wantonly attacked by ruthless aggressors" all the "material aid at our command, consistent with law and not inconsistent with the interests of our own national self-defence."

Republicans—"We favour the extension to all peoples fighting for liberty, or whose liberty is threatened, of such aid as shall not be in violation of international law or inconsistent with the requirements of our own national defence."

Roosevelt—"It was my obvious duty to maintain to the utmost the influence of this mighty nation in our effort to prevent the spread of war, and to sustain by all legal means, those government which had maintained the principles of democracy."

Willkie—Quoted Roosevelt's statement that the United States would extend aid to the opponents of force, and harness its own resources for national defence and said: "I should like to state that I am in agreement with these two principles, as I understand them—and I don't understand them as implying military involvement in the present hostilities."

Peace and War

Democrats—"We will not participate in foreign wars, and we will not send our army, naval or air forces to fight in foreign lands outside the Americas except in case of attack. We shall rigorously enforce and defend the Monroe Doctrine."

Republicans — "The Republican Party is firmly opposed to involving this nation in foreign war. We deplore explosive utterances by the President directed at other governments which serve to imperil our peace."

Roosevelt—"I would not undo, if I could, the efforts I made to prevent war and to restrict the area of carnage. I do not regret my consistent endeavour to awaken this country to the menace for us. I have pursued these efforts in the face of appeaser fifth columnists who charged me with hysteria and warmongering."

Willkie—"No man can guarantee to maintain peace. Peace is not something that a nation can achieve by itself. I trust that I have made it plain that in the defence of America, and of our liberties, I should not hesitate to stand for war. He (Mr. Roosevelt) has dabbled in inflammatory statements and manufactured panics...He has secretly meddled in the affairs of Europe, and he has even unscrupulously encouraged other countries to hope for more help than we are able to give.

Relief

Democrats—"We are opposed to vesting in the states and local authorities the control of federally-financed world relief."

Republicans — "We shall remove waste, discrimination and politics from relief—through administration by the states with federal grants-in-aid."

Roosevelt—Silent.

Willkie—"We still hold firmly to the principle that those whom private industry cannot support must be supported by government agency, whether federal or state."

Labour

Democrats—"We pledge to continue to enforce fair labour standards; to maintain the principles of the National Labour Relations Act; to expand employment training and opportunity."

Republicans—"We shall maintain labour's right of free organization and collective bargaining. Recent disclosures respecting the administration of the National Labour Relations Act require that this act be amended so as to provide true freedom."

Roosevelt—No direct statement.

Willkie—"I believe in collective bargaining, by representatives of labour's own free choice, without any interference and in full protection of those obvious rights. I believe in the maintenance of minimum standard for wages and of maximum standards for hours."

Farm Aid

Democrats—"The Republican Party merely gives its promises to the farmer and its allegiance to those who exploit him. We pledge to make parity as well as soil conservation payments until the goal of parity income for agriculture is realized."

Republicans — "The Republican Party will put into effect such governmental policies as will establish and maintain an equitable balance between labour, industry and agriculture. Until this balance has been attained, we propose to provide benefit payments."

Roosevelt—No direct statement.

Willkie—"I believe that the Federal Government has a responsibility to equalize the lot of the farmer with that of the manufacturer."

Business

Democrats—"We have defended and will continue to defend all legitimate business. We have attacked and will continue to attack unbridled concentration of economic power and the the exploitation of the consumer and investor."

Republicans—"We shall encourage a healthy, confident and growing private enterprise, confine government activity to essential public services, and regulate business only so as to protect consumer, employee and investor."

Roosevelt—"It (the New Deal) has included among its aims, to liberalize and broaden the control of vast industries—lodged today in the hands of a relatively small group of individuals of very great financial power."

Willkie—"I believe that the forces of free enterprise must be regulated. I am opposed to business monopolies."

Electric Power

Democrats—"Nomination of utility executive by the Republican Party as its candidate raises squarely the issue, whether the nation's water power shall be used for all the people or for the selfish interests of a few."

Republicans—No direct mention.

Roosevelt—No reference.

Willkie—"I believe in the federal regulation of interstate utilities, of securities markets, and of banking."

New Deal Policies

Democrats—"We are proud of our record."

Republicans—"The New Deal Administration has for seven long years whirled in a turmoil of shifting, contradictory and overlapping administrations and policies."

Roosevelt—"I do not think they (the voters) want the gains in these directions to be repealed or even to be placed in charge of those who would give them lip-service with no heart service."

Willkie—"I charge that the course this administration is following will lead us, like France, to the end of the road. I say that this course will lead up to economic disintegration and dictatorship."—United Press.

London Stocks

Wednesday's Closing Quotations

London, Sept. 25.

British gilt-edged securities ruled strong and active on the Stock Exchange today, owing to local buying. Leading industrials and gold minings attracted support, but other groups were irregular.—Reuter.

	Sept. 24	25
U.K. LOANS		
3½% War Loan. (Red.)	£101¾	101$\frac{13}{16}$
3% Defence Loan	101⅜	101⅜
CHINESE LOANS		
4½% Gold Loan. 1898	30	30
4½% Anglo French Loan	35	35
5% Crisp Loan, 1912	12	12
5% Reorg. Loan. 1913	18	18
8% Stg. Notes, 1925	8	8
5% Honan Rly., 1905	9	9
5% Hukuang Rly., 1911	12	12
5% „ „ „ (Ger. Is.)	11	11
5% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly.	8	8
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	12	12
5% T'tsin-Pukow Rly. B.	8	8
5% „ „ G.	8	8
5% „ „ (Supl. Loan) B.	8	8
5% „ „ (Supl. Loan) G.	8	8
5% Canton-Kowloon Rly.	7	7
5% Chinese Imp. Rly.	38	38
JAPANESE BONDS		
6% Sterling Loan, 1924	31	30
BANKS AND INSURANCE		
Chartd. Bank of I. A. & C.	6⅝	6⅝
H. & S. Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	67	67
„ „ „ (Col. Reg.)	72	72
Mercantile Bank of India	11	11
National Bank of India	24¼	24¼
Un. Ins. Soc. of Canton	20	20
COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIALS		
Bristol Aeroplane	9/-	9/-
B'tish American Tobacco	78/1½	78/9
Dunlop Rubber	28/3	28/4½
Imp. Chem. Industries	26/3	26/6
United Steel	17/9	17/10½
Woolworths	55/4½	55/3
MINES		
Chinese Eng. & Min.	15/-	15/-
Chosen Corp.	4/-	4/-
Marsman Investments	8/9	8/9
Pekin Syndicate	2/-	2/-
Sub-Nigel	160/-	160/-
Western Holdings	8/9	8/9
MISCELLANEOUS		
Great Western Rly.	28	28
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	13/9	13/9
London, Midland & Scot.	11½	11½
S'hai Elec. Construction	15/-	15/-
S'hai Waterworks "A"	13½	13½
Shell Transport & Trad.	35/7½	35/7½

Govt. Control Seen Over Silk in Japan

Tokyo, Sept. 26.

A silk control law governing the production and distribution of silk throughout Japan, may be introduced during the next session of the Diet to give the Government full control over the silk industry, the "Nichi Nichi" reports.

This law would empower the Agriculture and Forestry Ministry to set prices for cocoons and silk, and may even cause abolition of cotton markets in favour of distribution by a semi-Governmental agency.—Havas.

Fastest Fighting Plane Being Built in U.S.

Great Power and Speed Claimed by "Guardsman"

Farmingdale, N.Y., Sept. 26.

The world's most heavily armed, fastest and most versatile two-seater fighting plane is being produced in considerable numbers at the Republic Aviation Corporation's factory here, according to statements by officials.

The plane is the "Guardsman" dive-bomber, capable of releasing 1,350 rounds of high-explosive bombs simultaneously while hurtling earthward at speeds exceeding 370 miles an hour. This bomb load includes one projectile weighing 750 pounds and six 100-pound wing bombs. The giant fuselage bomb is cradled in a special displacing mechanism, developed by Republic, permitting release of the bomb with accuracy in an almost vertical dive.

The "Guardsman" is likewise armed with two 30-calibre fuselage guns, synchronized to fire through the propellor, and a flexible 30-calibre gun mounted in the rear cockpit. This latter weapon is rotatable and can be fired by the gunner over a wide range in all directions, forward, rearward, to either side and above or below the plane.

With bombs removed, the "Guardsman" becomes an effective pursuit-interceptor to attack opposing bombers or other aircraft. It is powered by a Pratt and Whitney Twin Row Wasp Engine.—Reuter.

Magazine Poll Favours Roosevelt

Wide Lead Over Rival, Mr. Wendell Willkie

New York, Sept. 26.

The Fortune Magazine sample of public opinion regarding the next President of the United States today gave President Roosevelt a wide lead over his Republican rival, Mr. Wendell Willkie.

The poll gave Mr. Roosevelt 58.1 per cent. of the votes to 24.2 per cent. for Mr. Willkie and 17.7 per cent. undecided.

A similar poll four years ago today during the 1936 election campaign gave President Roosevelt 69.2 per cent. of the votes and his Republican opponent, Mr. Alf M. Landon 22.3 per cent.—United Press.

Blood Bank for Britons Rises To 3,600 Pints

Many German Refugees in America Contribute

New York, Sept. 26.

The American Red Cross announces yesterday that its "Blood Bank," accumulated for wounded Britons, now totals 3,600 pints.

The blood for Britons was obtained through voluntary contributions. More than half of the donors were women. The donors included many refugees from Germany and anti-Fascist Italians. Numerous Britons visiting the United States also have contributed blood for their wounded countrymen.—United Press.

U. S. Commodities

Wednesday's Closing Quotations

New York, Sept. 25.

Cotton prices early ruled irregular, as hedging and liquidation were met by a good mill demand. Later, the market firmed up on trade and Wall Street buying, coupled with a good "spot" demand. At the close, quotations were from 4 to 6 points up from the previous final levels.

Quietly steady conditions prevailed in the market for raw rubber futures, as consumers covered and speculators bought, owing to the tightening of supply situation. At the last call-over, quotations were from 3 points down to 7 points up compared with yesterday.

The Chicago Wheat Pit ruled very steady today, owing to spot house buying and the firmness of the corn market. Operators, however, were following the foreign situation closely and were not making full commitments, pending the clarification of international problems. At the final bell, gains from ¼ to ½ of a cent. were registered.

New York Cotton		New York Rubber	
Oct.	9.58-59 +04		
Dec.	9.59-60 +05	Dec.	19.18-18 +07
Jan.	9.49 N. +04	Jan.	19.10 B +04
Mar.	9.48-48 +04	Mar.	18.96-96 unc.
May	9.32-32 +04	May	18.85 B —03
July	9.11-11 +06		

N. Y. Sugar No. 3		N. Y. Sugar No. 4	
Mar.	1.88-90 +01 B/A	Dec.	0.71-71½ —1 B/A
May	1.92-93 +01 B/A	Mar.	0.76-76½ —½ B/A

Chicago Wheat		Chicago Corn	
Dec.	80-79¾ +¼	Dec.	58¼-58⅜ +¼
May	80¼-80¼ +½	May	59½-59⅝ +½

Winnipeg Wheat		N. Y. Silk No. 1	
Oct.	70 A unch.	Dec.	2.52½ B +½

B—Bid. A—Asked.

London Gold: Bar, gold, fine, per oz 168/- unchanged.

London Silver: The market ruled quietly steady. Business was very small. After the official fixing the market remained quietly steady.

Spot	23$\frac{7}{16}$d. unch.
Forward	23⅜d. unch.

—Reuter

British Commodities

Wednesday's Closing Quotations

London, Sept. 25.

Rubber futures early ruled quiet, but subsequently eased on freer offers. Finally, the market improved and closed steady.

Tin prices improved today due to a better demand from consumers, especially from the United States, where consumers seem to feel it now prudent to cover at least their current needs.

London Rubber: Spot buyers 11¾ —$\frac{1}{16}$; sellers 11⅞ —⅛. Oct. del. buyers 11¾ —$\frac{1}{16}$; sellers 11⅞ —⅛.

Liverpool Cotton: American Futures. Oct. 8.14 +17; Jan. 7.81 +14; Mar. 7.61 +11; May 7.46 +10. Egyptian Futures (Giza, F. G. F. No. 7) No. 2 Contract: Nov. 12.26 +16; Jan 11.68 +23; Mar. 11.25 +17; May 11.03 +15.

London Metals: Tin, Standard, cash, middle price, £265, bid, +1⅝. 3 mths del., middle price, £259¼ +1.—Reuter.

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FROM DAY TO DAY

A MEETING of the Shanghai Municipal Council has been convened for Wednesday, October 2, at 4.30 p.m.

DR. E. G. Gauntlett will give a talk on "Medicine in wartime" this evening at 9 o'clock from station XCDN "The voice of Democracy," wave length 208, 1440kc.

MAIL matter addressed to the following in care of the American Consulate General, remained uncalled for on September 26:—Misses Browne, Hamit and Ida H. Olsen; Mrs. Wm. Nicola and W. T. Roner.

As from October 1, all departments of the Municipal Council's service will observe official office hours from 9 a.m. to 12 o'clock noon, and from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. On Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 12 o'clock noon.

MESSRS. C. C. Djao, Victor Hanson and Anson T. Wong have accepted the Shanghai Municipal Council's invitation to serve as its representatives on the board of management of the Public Ricsha Pullers' Mutual Aid Association during the year 1940/41.

AN early morning armed robbery netted three bandits, one of them armed, $150 when they raided a Chinese dwelling at 220 Ching Hsu Li, off Penang Road at 4.30 a.m. yesterday. The bandits, who spoke Kompo dialect, left the place before an alarm could be raised.

THE Missions to Seamen has received a cheque for $500 from Mrs. G. F. James in memory of her husband, Captain G. F. James, who passed to his rest on September 3, 1939. Capt. James was for many years a well known figure in Shanghai and a member of the Shanghai Pilots' Association.

A 100 per cent increase in the tax on imported rolled tobacco was put into effect on Wednesday by the Japanese-sponsored Kiangsu-Chekiang-Anhwei Consolidation Tax Bureau, says the "Shun Pao." This fact accounts for the recent increase in the market price of rolled tobacco at all local stores, the paper adds.

THE motors of old cars are being converted into coal or charcoalburning machines for use in small Chinese factories in Chungking as power-generators, says the "Cheng Yien Pao". Since the closure of the Burma road, the motors of many trucks which have been left idle have been taken away and used for this purpose.

THE Municipal Council has given notice that Municipal rate in respect of Chinese and foreign houses for the quarter ending December 31, 1940, is due on October 1. Ratepayers are reminded that rates on foreign style buildings will not be called for by collectors but must be remitted to the Revenue Office, 209 Kiangse Road, by the concerned upon receipt of demand note.

THE Royal Wilton Carpet Factory, one of the rare survivors of handcraftmanship in Britain—will bring its 340 years of official (500 actual) existence to an end—owing to the war. The Earls of Pembroke have always been interested in the factory, and the present Earl and Countess are among the directors. In its busiest days it employed the greater part of the working population of Wilton, some 2,000 people.

MRS. Virginia Matthews, a 23-year-old victim of infantile paralysis, has given birth to a son while in an iron lung at the county hospital in Los Angeles. The baby weighed 6 lb. at birth. Medical records show only two previous cases of childbirth in an iron lung and in each of these either the mother or the child died. Mrs. Matthews' baby is well and she herself is showing improvement. She has two other children.

A TIFFIN will be given by the Joint Committee of Shanghai Women's Organizations for Prof. Winifred Cullis on October 4, at the B.W.A. 12 The Bund. All members of the constituent groups of the Joint Committee, as well as the representatives are invited. Members must register with the chairmen of their respective organizations by Wednesday of next week if they wish to attend. The cost of the tiffin will be two dollars and fifty cents each.

THE Postal Labour Union in Kweiyang province is now soliciting its members for contributions to the Chinese Government aeroplane fund, says the "Chinese American Daily News". The Union originally proposed the presentation of a stage play at Kweiyang, the provincial capital, on the "Double Tenth" national holiday as a means of raising contributions for the fund, but this plan was dropped in view of the high cost of organizing the play, the report states.

PATRONS of the Park Hotel Sky-Terrace and Grill room will be glad to hear that the management of this hotel has arranged for an excellent floor show for the winter season commencing on Friday. Beautiful June West, an English girl and her Hungarian partner Kay, two youthful dancers will be presented to the Shanghai public for the first time. These sensational continental dancers have just concluded very successful engagements at the finest hotels of the principal ports of the Far East.

OWING to the necessity for fuller preparations and the lack of communication facilities under war conditions, the Chinese National Government has decided to postpone the National People's Congress until further notice, a Chungking report to the "Sin Wan Pao" reveals. The meeting was to be held in the wartime capital on November 13. It is learned, however, that the People's Political Council will continue to hold its sessions. The Council has done much towards national reconstruction and obtaining national solidarity, the paper concludes.

MR. Kennedy, the United States Ambassador in London, was a keen bidder at a sale at Christie's in aid of the Red Cross. At 250 guineas he won a collection of miniatures and documents relating to Napoleon. Then at 130gns he bought a series of letters addressed by Wellington to John Wilson Croker, following this by paying 180gns for Charles James Fox's correspondence with Thomas Coutts, the banker. Mr. Kennedy also added to his bag some Palmerston letters at 35gns, and some of Gladstone's at 30gns. All these formed part of the very generous gift to the Red Cross by Major the Hon. Clive Pearson.

Farmers Urged to Re-Elect President Roosevelt

Mr. Henry Wallace Warns Against Republican Success; "Death Knell of Fair Play" for Agriculture

Shenandoah, Iowa, Sept. 26.

MR. Henry A. Wallace, Democratic Vice Presidential candidate, told a farm audience in a campaign speech here yesterday that if the Republican Party wins the forthcoming elections, "the death knell of fair play for the farmer will have sounded."

Mr. Wallace addressed several thousand farmers here in his home state—which in recent unofficial polls has returned a majority of votes for the Republican Presidential candidate, Mr. Wendell Willkie.

Mr. Wallace, a soft-spoken man, urged his fellow Iowans to support him and President Roosevelt so that policies he inaugurated as Secretary of Agriculture in Mr. Roosevelt's Cabinet might be continued.

As Secretary of Agriculture in President Roosevelt's Cabinet, a post he resigned to campaign for the Vice Presidency, Mr. Wallace held the same position which his father, Mr. Henry C. Wallace, occupied in the Cabinet of the late Republican President, Warren G. Harding.

It was about the time of his father's ascendancy to the Republican cabinet that young Henry broke from the Republican faith because he was impatient with the farm policies and the tariff tenets of the party higher-ups. He transferred his politics to the Democratic Party, supporting Alfred E. Smith in 1928 and Mr. Roosevelt in 1932.

Farm Boyhood

Mr. Wallace was born on a farm in Adair County, Ia., on October 7, 1888. Following the usual farm boyhood and graduation from Iowa State College, where he studied agricultural economics, he eventually succeeded to the editorship of the "Wallace Farmer," widely-read farm journal founded by his grandfather, Henry Cantwell Wallace.

Young Wallace became famous for his diligence in figuring out any number of problems which his readers sent in—and he was known among farm people for his large-scale experiments in cattle and plant breeding. He was among the first exponents of a planned programme of soil conservation.

"Less corn, more clover, more money," was the slogan he framed.

His ability to concentrate on any problem has shown itself in his private as well as his public life. One of his least publicized accomplishments is throwing a boomerang—the deadly weapon of the Australian bushman.

Completely sold on the idea of close United States-Latin American co-operation, Mr. Wallace applied himself to learning Spanish. Within a year he spoke it so fluently that he was able to make a speech in Spanish to a meeting of American scientists—much to their surprise, and that of many of his close friends.

Now a Key Figure

He is one of the key figures in the present Administration attempt to unify the Western Hemisphere for an economic offensive against Totalitarian gains in Europe. He is credited to a large degree for authorship of the so-called cartel plan for a buying and selling monopoly of New World surpluses.

Stocky and of medium height, Mr. Wallace has dark hair, slightly flecked with gray. He has a slow, infectious smile that sometimes breaks through his basic seriousness. He prides himself on his voice, and likes to sing old tunes.

His wife, the former Ilo Browne of Indianola, Ia., often accompanies him on the piano as he sends forth his clear baritone. The Wallaces have three children, Henry B., Robert B., and Jean B., whose ages are 24, 21 and 19 respectively.

Despite his patience and his innate good nature, Mr. Wallace can be unforgiving about certain things. A case in point is the Supreme Court's outlawing of the original Agricultural Adjustment Administration. Mr. Wallace never forgot it, and in the Kansas City Livestock case last year he carried on the feud in a stinging letter of rebuke to Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes.

At one time or another Mr. Wallace has feuded with Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Henry Morgenthau, Jr., Secretary of the Interior, Mr. Harold L. Ickes, and various members of the so-called original New Deal "brain trust." Nevertheless, he consistently has carried and defended the Administration banner.—United Press.

Strong U.S. Stand In Far East Urged

America Must Meet All Aggression by Japan, Says Mr. McNutt

Boston, Sept. 26.

The United States must combat aggression in Asia as well as in Europe by active aid to the victims of aggression, Mr. Paul V. McNutt, Federal Security Administrator and former U.S. High Commissioner for the Philippines, told the American Legion Convention here last night.

Mr. McNutt directed a sharp attack against proposals that the United States should "appease" Japan.

Because Mr. McNutt often expresses the Administration's viewpoint, his views on the Far Eastern situation were regarded highly significant by informed observers last night.

"It is the inclination of the people of the United States," Mr. McNutt declared, "and it is the inclination of the Government in setting the policy of this country, to give aid to those who resist aggression.

"This holds not alone in regard to Europe. It holds also in regard to the Far East."

Fateful Decision Ahead

Mr. McNutt said that a conciliatory attitude toward Japan would not increase the security of the United States. Referring to Japan, Mr. McNutt said, "How could it be to our interest to co-operate with any country which shows itself determined to cast its lot with those countries whose practices and policies obviously are destructive to stability in international relations?"

"The United States," Mr. McNutt declared, "has consistently sought to maintain friendly relations with Japan, as with all countries in the Far East, Latin America and Europe, on a basis of sound principles and fair principles.

"It has become increasingly difficult to maintain such relationships with Japan on that basis."

Mr. McNutt said the United States must make a fateful decision as to whether to retire completely as a Far Eastern Power, or remain one to consciously and carefully shoulder the burden which such a policy implies.

Wise Course for U.S.

Without referring directly to the question of re-examining the question of Philippine independence, which he advocated two years ago, Mr. McNutt indicated that the wise course for the United States would be to maintain its status as a Far Eastern Power.

Mr. McNutt said that the adoption of a militant foreign policy in the Far East does not necessarily imply the establishment of new American frontiers in the Pacific.

"Our possessions in that mighty ocean," Mr. McNutt said, "extend from the Aleutian Islands through Hawaii to Samoa and from the mainland on the last through Hawaii to Wake, Guam and the Philippines.

"The great cross formed by these islands is our mark upon the Pacific."

Mr. McNutt rejected proposals that the United States should withdraw into an isolated defense area east of Hawaii.

Designs on New World

"The resources of this Hemisphere," Mr. McNutt said, "particularly in South America, are an integral part of the economic life of Old World.

"For a solid century designs and intrigues to absorb part of the New World into Asiatic or European political systems have been attempted.

"If we wish for hemispheric isolation, we must recognize what it really means. It means maintaining a military establishment capable of putting a protective force in any part of the New World at any time. It means abandoning many markets for our agricultural products.

"Any attempt to build a wall around the New World means an upheaval in the United States almost as great as war itself. We must remember that wars some day end, whereas this process of isolation would wreck us for generations."—United Press.

Britain to Buy Gold Coast, Nigeria Cocoa

Equal Treatment for Free French Colonies

London, Sept. 26.

The Colonial Office announces the purchase by Britain of the whole of the forthcoming cocoa crops in the Gold Coast and Nigeria, and a West African control board is being set up to administer the scheme.

Equal treatment will be extended to producers in the French colonies which have adhered to the free French movement.

The British Government is buying 12,000 tons of cocoa from the French Cameroons, as far as possible from stocks of the past crop; 4,500 tons are being shipped to Britain immediately.—British Official Wireless.

Roosevelt Calls Up National Guards

35,700 to Report for One Year's Service; Survey To Be Made of Bases

Washington, Sept. 26.

With the nation facing a crisis in the Pacific as well as the Atlantic, President Roosevelt yesterday called up an additional 35,700 National Guardsmen for a year of active service beginning on October 15.

Units called to the colours yesterday included National Guard forces in Hawaii and Puerto Rico.

Meanwhile, the Secretary of Navy, Mr. Frank Knox, announced that a board of Army and Navy experts would sail in a few days aboard the cruiser St. Louis to survey air and naval bases recently acquired from Britain in the Western Hemisphere.

Building New Bases

Col. Knox said that the board of Army and Navy experts would be headed by Admiral John W. Greenslade.

"We want to start building the new bases as soon as the necessary details have been completed, including the allocation of the specific territory," Col. Knox said.

He said the Navy Department plans to build its own air facilities in the British possessions and not use existing British defences.

Col. Knox declined to comment on developments in the Far East during his press conference yesterday. He said that he had not participated in the conversations here regarding possible American use of the British naval base at Singapore. He said he could not confirm reports that the U.S.S. Augusta, flagship of the U.S. Asiatic Fleet, was planning to visit Singapore soon. He said he did not believe such reports were warranted.

New Recruiting Record

Selective service officials in charge of enforcing the Burke-Wadsworth Conscription Act announced yesterday that voluntary enlistments to the U.S. Army after official registration day, October 16, probably would make it unnecessary to draft many men to make up the first proposed conscript contingent of 400,000 men.

In New York yesterday a new peace time record for Army enlistments was established when 107 men were accepted at recruiting headquarters. The 107 were selected from 400 men who were examind. Hundreds of others waiting in line for examination could not be cared for yesterday.—United Press.

Axis Powers Get Aid from U.S.

U.S.$10,000,000 Worth Of Vital War Material

New York, Sept. 26.

The Axis Powers, Germany, Italy and Japan, are obtaining U.S. $10,000,000 worth of vital war materials monthly from the United States, the "New York Daily News" reported yesterday.

The paper said these shipments were reaching the Axis Powers through Spain, Portugal, Cuba, Mexico and Russia.

The shipments include cargoes of copper, oil, cotton and machinery, the paper said. Influential American business firms were accused of sponsoring Axis purchasing agents in the United States.—United Press.

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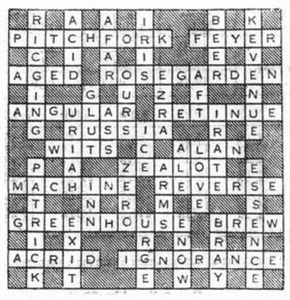

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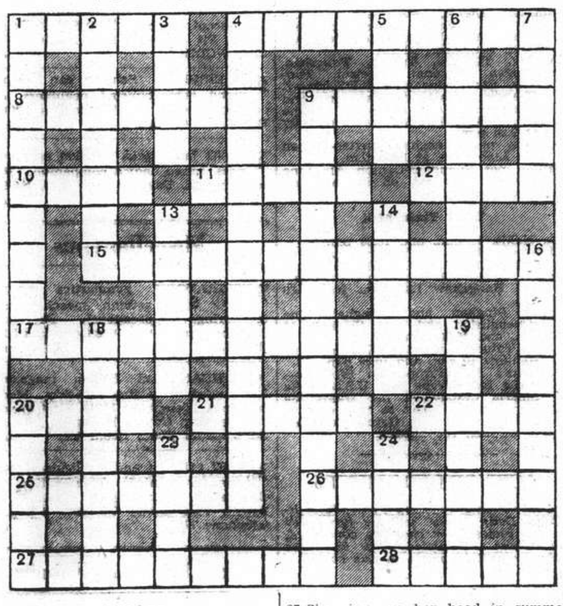

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1 Authority the motorist has to pay for (5)
4 Should be where 16 down is, it's plain (9)
8 With cheek (7)
9 Not a vessel to cast in spite of the name (7)
10 Sundown reveals it (4)
11 Repeatedly of double figures (5)
12 Everest is high, but this caps it (4)
15 What you don't want baby to play with, this (four words—3, 3, 2, 5)
17 They keep monitors at the Zoo, but not with a view to this (two words—7, 6)
20 It may cover a fellow or a female (4)
21 There is one spot that only he has stood on (5)
22 Fliers from 24 down (4)
25 A figure on watch? (7)
26 One's wit becomes foolish (two words—3, 4)
27 She sings on her head in summer (9)
28 This is cut daily, but not rationed (5)

DOWN

1 Striking attitudes (9)
2 Full of the energy of spring? (two words—5, 2)
3 Damping result of artists' election (4)
4 When, be sure, your sins will find you out (three words—3, 2, 8)
5 Correct sounding ceremony (4)
6 The end dyes the hair, it's hell! (7)
7 Altered worth (5)
9 Make a word from ACDEEENNOPPRR (13)
13 Get blemish from a material (5)
14 What is the date? (5)
16 A farm, perhaps (9)
18 This gives one a pull in nautical circles (7)
19 Take a good look (7)
20 An old dance (5)
23 Journey to ancient city? (4)
24 Not a friendly thrust (4)

Unpreparedness, Delay and Panic Feature Nazi System

Colonel Frank Knox Summarizes Objectives Of German Propaganda Activities Abroad

The following summary was written and released by the United States Secretary of Navy Colonel Frank Knox as the final installment of the fifth column series.—United Press.

BY COLONEL FRANK KNOX

THE articles by Col. William J. Donovan and Edgar Mowrer which have appeared in the press have served, in my judgment, a highly useful purpose. Their frank purpose was in forewarning and thus fore-arming the American people against a subtle form of attack successfully used elsewhere by the Totalitarian powers.

Unpreparedness, surprise, then delay and finally panic are the essential features of this new form of attack. Summarizing, the purposes of such propaganda are to accomplish the following objectives:

First, to create confusion of thought, suspicion and dissension among the masses in order to weaken their morale and lower the stamina of the people.

Secondly, to incite jealousy and antagonism between different classes of society as well as between various political, racial, and religious groups. This is an effective means of weakening a country, by disrupting its unity of purpose and action.

Third, to retard any effective preparation for defence. In all the conquered countries of Europe the Pacifists were stimulated to the utmost activity. Prominent officials and politicians, who were conscientious pacifists were induced to use their influence against large scale armament. Church dignitaries were covertly worked upon on similar grounds to publicly express their disapproval.

Labour Sabotage

The radical labour element was secretly urged to oppose the plans of the government for enlisting them in any war. In France, labour's sabotage of the armament programme was a factor in that country's lack of essential equipment. Such activities were carried on at the very time when the Nazis were driving the working people of Germany to the limit of their strength to create those implements of war with which she conquered France. Now those same French workmen who listened to Fifth Column agitation against their former government, have been ordered to work 56 hours a week with no extra pay for overtime, and this is just the beginning of Nazi rule in France.

Fourth, the fear of radicalism so prevalent among the rich and the ruling classes in England and in France was used as a potent argument for a more friendly, tolerant feeling toward the Nazi regime, and as a point of leaverage for a policy of appeasement. Subtle persuasion, secret pressure, and in all probability, open bribery were all used to break down the loyalty and to secure the co-operation of a few key men in official positions and in the armies.

When the final crisis came, these traitors contributed dramatically to the collapse of Allied resistance in Norway, Holland, Belgium, and probably in France.

Fifth, before the outbreak of war and throughout its earlier stages, the smaller countries were constantly urged to maintain their neutrality and were warned to avoid any collaboration with other nations for their common defence. Government officials and the public, by means of propaganda, were constantly assured of safety and immunity from war if only they practiced the strictest neutrality and abstained from military co-operation with their neighbours.

Fiction of Neutrality

The little democracies were so impressed with this myth of neutrality and the security it would give them, that the Nazis were successful in their strategy of overrunning one nation at a time and thus avoided any united opposition.

Fifth Column propaganda played an important part in keeping public attention focused on the necessity for a neutrality which, in the end, proved to be pure fiction and which made effective defence impossible.

Those personal privileges which in our democracy we value so highly—Freedom of speech and of the press—make us particularly vulnerable to this new form of warfare. It represents a new and a grave danger for a self-governing country which springs from many nationalities.

Fortunately, there is an effective primary means of defence against the underhand activities of Fifth Column agents. It lies in tearing down the veil of secrecy and subterfuge under which they operate, to inform our citizens in detail as to means they employ and their purposes.

A secondary means of defence lies in the timely discernment of Fifth Column methods, with prompt counteraction wherever possible. This is a duty which requires intelligent and organized co-ordination. We should be ready to back this programme with all the energy and resources at our command. It is a problem which requires thought and organization. It is more immediate even than the military problem. The latter, if we cannot solve the former, may well be incapable of solution.

Wiedemann Denies Report

Capt. Fritz Wiedemann, German consul-general in San Francisco, said today an incident concerning him appearing in the Col. William J. Donovan-Edgar Mowrer Fifth Column series being carried in American newspapers was "pure invention" and has "no basis whatever."

Yesterday's instalment of the series, which was released by Secretary of Navy Frank Knox, said Wiedemann was publicly congratulated by Hitler in Berlin for his work in "preventing the U.S. Senate from accepting President Roosevelt's modified neutrality legislation in July, 1939."

Wiedemann said he had made no report of any kind to his government on neutrality legislation.

"A matter of this kind is outside the scope of a consulate," Captain Wiedemann said.—United Press.

American Legion Urges More Aid to Britain

Boston, Sept. 26.

The national defence Committees of the American Legion yesterday recommended that the United States should give "all practicable aid to Great Britain."

They further urged that a permanent military training system should be established in the United States and adopted a programme which, in effect, declares war on all subversive activities and asks for rigid control of all aliens in the country.—Reuter.

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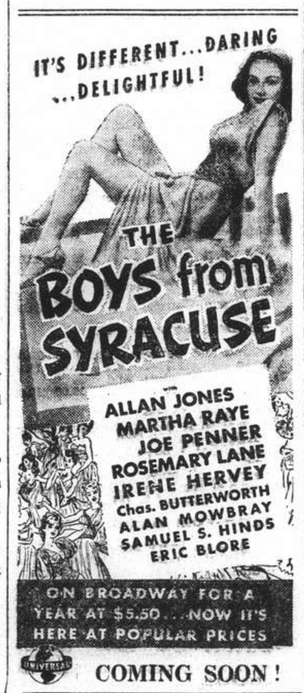

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	At Cathedral	At Siccawei
Temperature yesterday	min. 71.0 max. 78.0	min. 72.5 max. 79.3
„ same date last year	min. 65.0 max. 82.9	min. 63.3 max. 82.4

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NIEPER.—On Thursday, September 26, 1940, at The Country Hospital, Shanghai, ALICE, aged 7½ months, the beloved infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Nieper and sister of Catherine. Removed to the parlours of the International Funeral Directors, 207 Kiaochow Road. Interment will take place at the Hungjao Road Cemetery tomorrow, Saturday, September 28, at 4 p.m. 11461

MEMORIAL SERVICE

TSICRICTSI.—At 5.15 p.m. today there will be a service at the Lukawei Cemetery on the occasion of nine days since the death of P. C. TSICRICTSI. In case of rain the service will be held at the same time at the Russian Cathedral in Rue Paul Henry. -4799

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Municipal Rate in respect of Chinese and Foreign houses for the quarter ending December 31, 1940, is due on October 1, 1940. Ratepayers are reminded that rates in foreign style buildings will not be called for by collectors but must be remitted to the Revenue Office, 209 Kiangse Road, by the concerned upon receipt of demand note.

By order.

G. GODFREY PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Commissioner General.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Shanghai, September 26, 1940.
11469

NOTIFICATION No. 5325

SALE OF SURPLUS LAND

Louza Police Station

Tenders are invited for the purchase of an area of Mow 0.441 or thereabouts of surplus land fronting Nanking Road, being a portion of Cadastral Lot 621, British Consular Lot 1722, registered in the name of The Shanghai Municipal Council.

Official tender forms, in which all tenders must be submitted, together with plans and full particulars of the property and conditions of sale may be obtained on application to the Public Works Department.

Tenders must be sent to the undersigned, Room 150, Administration Building, not later than 11 a.m. on October 26, 1940.

Tenderers may attend the opening of tenders in the Council Chamber, Administration Building, at 11 a.m. on October 26, 1940.

By Order,

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COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Shanghai, September 26, 1940.
11464

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NOTICE

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Le Directeur Administratif des Services Municipaux

L. DES COURTILS.
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W. A. ADAMS,
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Shanghai, September 26, 1940.
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By Order of the Directors,

R. LOCK.
Secretary and Asst. Manager.

Shanghai, September 21, 1940.
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WEATHER, TIME AND TIDE

Meteorological Reports	Sept. 25 16.00	Sept. 25 21.00	Sept. 26 4.00	Sept. 26 9.00
Barometer (inches)	29.78	29.78	29.70	29.78
at 32 F. (variation for 24 hrs.)	—0.09	—0.13	—0.15	—0.09
at 32 F. („ „ 12 hrs.)	—0.07	—0.09	—0.08	0.00
Wind (direction)	SE	SE	S	WNW
„ (miles per hour)	9.9	9.3	5.6	10.6
Temperature (Fahr.)	76.5°	73.2°	74.3°	73.8°
Humidity (per cent.)	87	96	97	93
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	10	5	10	10
Rainfall (inches)	0.04	0.10	0.00	0.02

Siccawei Abridged Report Sept. 25	Mean 1940	24 hrs. variation	67 years average
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	29.82	—0.06	29.98
Temp. min. 67.1° Max. 79.0°	73.0°	—0.3°	70.0°
Total rainfall January 1 to midnight before last (inches)	30.09	0.14	37.94

Time and Tide	27/9	28/9	29/9	30/9	1/10	2/10	3/10
Sun rises at Shanghai	5.43	5.45	5.46	5.47	5.47	5.47	5.48
Sun sets at Shanghai	17.45	17.44	17.42	17.41	17.40	17.39	17.37
Moon rises at Shanghai	0.49	1.51	2.55	4.02	5.10	6.19	7.28
Moon sets at Shanghai	14.31	15.17	16.01	16.45	17.28	18.13	18.59
Flood makes Shai. (day)	7.54	7.56	8.42	9.14	10.16	10.50	11.29
Ebb makes Shai. (day)	11.24	14.01	14.35	14.55	15.47	16.20	16.54
H.W. W'sung Bar (day)	8.31	9.38	10.29	11.10	11.51	12.32	13.07
Ht. above LLW. (feet)	6.78	7.90	8.88	9.70	11.15	11.50	11.35

The above are zone times. Daylight saving time is one hour later.

THE WEATHER

(See top of page, left)

State on the morning of the 25th:—Anticyclone over north China. Depression to the south-east of Kiusiu moving eastward. Typhoon to the west of Guam advancing west-north-westward. Low area over Kiangsi. Fine to cloudy weather and easterly to southerly winds in the north; north-easterly to north-westerly over the Yellow Sea and the Eastern Sea. Rainy or misty and variable winds in the Yangtze Valley.

State on the morning of the 26th:—Pressures rising over China. A depression over the Yangtze Mouth will cross the Eastern Sea, east-north-eastward. The typhoon, over the Pacific, is apparently advancing north-west or west-north-westward.—Siccawei Observatory.

POST OFFICE NOTICES

(See top of page, right)

The following times apply to the Head Post office Szechuen Road Bridge. Earlier posting at Sub-Offices is needed.

FRIDAY, September 27.	Reg.	Ord
Weihaiwei Chefoo T'tsin..	*20.00	7.15
Tsingtao Chefoo Tientsin..	*20.00	8.30
Hongkong and Canton ...	8.30	9.00
Foochow via Futsing	16.30	17.00
Kiangpei offices south and east of Jukao	19.30	20.00
SATURDAY, September 28.		
Weihaiwei Chefoo T'tsin..	8.30	9.00
Shenkiamen and Tinghai..	9.30	10.00
Aust. N.Z. Manila and Java Ports ..... A	11.00	12.00
Amoy Hongkong Canton..	11.30	12.00
Kiangpei offices south and east of Jukao	19.30	20.00
Tsingtao and Dairen	20.00	20.00
SUNDAY, September 29.		
Hongkong and Canton ... x	9.30	10.00
Nantung	10.00	15.15
Kiangpei offices south and east of Jukao	19.00	19.00

* The night before
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Via N.S.R. 10 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Kiangpei offices north and west of Jukao 10 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Via S.H.N.R. 1.30 p.m.; for Sungkiang and Hangchow 1.30 p.m. and 10.30 p.m.

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